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## GOVERNOR DOES NOT APPROVE BILL

ACTING ON OPINION OF ATTORNEY GENERAL HE RETURNS TAYLOR BILL.

### SPECIAL MESSAGE IS READ

Gives Attention to Fee and Salary Bill—House Takes Up the Bill and Lowers Maximum Salaries.

Guthrie, Ok., March 18.—In accordance with the opinion of the Attorney General, Gov. Haskell yesterday returned the Taylor bill amending the initiative and referendum law of the First Legislature without his approval. The act fixed a procedure for submission of constitutional amendments to a vote of the people, and gave the Election Board certain powers with reference to placing the proposition on the ballot to be used by the elector at the polls. The only authorized use of the words "for the amendment" and to cast a negative vote it was necessary to erase the line. Otherwise, whether the ballot was marked at all, the vote was counted as an affirmative one under the terms of the Taylor bill.

Gov. Haskell stated that by providing the ballot title should be drawn by persons submitting amendments, in place of the Attorney General, left the way open for a prejudiced title, and if an appeal was taken against it, the Attorney General would be required to defend the proposition, although he might believe to be wrong and improper. Instead of permitting the Attorney General to defend the law, the bill made him an advocate, the governor said, of any plan or scheme to substitute a different law.

### Election Board.

Permitting the Election Board to arrange the ballot, the message believed was giving the board legislative power; also there should be provision for putting a proposed amendment in bold relief type or blank space, indicating to the voter where he might find an opportunity to express himself against an amendment.

Another objection was that the law did not require that public notice should be given when petitions are filed submitting amendments to the constitution, thereby allowing no time for protest. Denial of permission to use sample ballots save as the election board sees fit to furnish is also his opinion that the chief executive should have the same official duties to perform in relation to submission of bills or amendments under this act as is required by existing law.

The Taylor bill having originated in the senate, the veto message was only delivered there. Several senators did not hesitate to express themselves as being "sore" at the governor's stand, and had the message been brought up for consideration today, they stated they would have so expressed themselves. It is indicated tonight that the message will be pending business in the senate tomorrow.

### Substitute Offered.

Senator Taylor late today offered a new bill to replace the one vetoed by the governor and which he stated met the objections given in the message.

Following this, action was called for on the house concurrent resolution setting next Saturday at noon as the hour for final adjournment of the special session. Senator Billups urged the senate to adopt it, while Senator Roddie wanted it referred to the committee. He called attention to pending legislation which the constitution required should be completed a stated number of days before final adjournment, and added that the legislature had to pass another election bill "to meet the ideas of the attorney general as expressed in the governor's message." The resolution was referred by a vote of 25 to 11.

### Judicial Districts.

The senate finally passed the judicial districting bill, and, after reducing the number of judges, voted down several amendments to change the proposed apportionment. Protests were read from the bar associations of Creek and Okmulgee counties against a change in that district or

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We regret that our friends and customers have been inconvenienced by the erection of our new front. However, the contractor is doing his utmost to have it soon completed. When finished this store will be the grandest in Pontotoc county, and a pride to the citizens of Ada and will be known in the future as in the past, a store of quality.

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## RACE RIOT IN FLORIDA; 5 DEAD

DIFFICULTY BETWEEN CONTRACTOR AND NEGRO STARTS KILLING.

### THREE OF DEAD ARE NEGROES

One Deputy Sheriff Fatally Wounded and Another Seriously Wounded No More Trouble Is Expected.

Tampa, Fla., March 8.—With three negroes dead as the result of race riots in the neighborhood of Palmetto, the wrath of the residents seemed to be assuaged. The sum total of deaths is three negroes and two white men, with one white man in the hospital with a bullet hole through his head.

The last of the three negroes implicated in the murder of two white men and the fatal wounding of the third was lynched at dusk this afternoon in the palmettos on the banks of the Manatee river. He had fallen asleep and when he awoke he was gazing into the barrels of a dozen rifles and shotguns.

Even then he showed defiance and reached for his rifle. In a second he was riddled with bullets.

### The Dead.

SAMUEL STRIBBLING, contractor, superintendent, Tampa.

DEPUTY SHERIFF EDWARD MATTHEWS.

WADE ELLIS, negro.

SAM ELLIS, negro.

Unknown negro.

Probably fatally injured: Deputy Sheriff J. B. Morgan.

Seriously injured: Deputy Sheriff Max Burnette.

The trouble which has resulted thus far has grown out of a dispute Sunday between Stribbling and a negro named Ruddy over wages. Ruddy shot and killed Stribbling and Sunday night Deputy Sheriff Matthews was killed by either Ruddy or one of the Ellis negroes when the officer, at the head of a posse, had surrounded a house to which bloodhounds had trailed the murderer of Stribbling.

The country was aroused and hundreds of citizens, heavily armed, have scoured the country for the past twenty-four hours. Tonight several hundred of the men came to Palmetto, the scene of the first killing.

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## HENDRICKS HAS GONE TO TEXAS

SHERIFF WALKER AND DEPUTY McDONALD COME AFTER HIM.

### THINKS WILL APPEAL AGAIN

Doesn't Think He Will Have to Serve Life Sentence—Says Booze Was Responsible for His Capture.

Will Hendricks has gone. Sheriff Walker and Deputy Sheriff McDonald of Paris, Tex., arrived in Ada yesterday afternoon and departed for home on the delayed Frisco train about 8:30 last night. The reward matter was satisfactorily fixed up, the following officers to receive \$140 each for capturing the outlaw: Geo. Culver, Walter Goynes, Jim Adair, J. M. McCarty and Hookie Miller. Deputy Goynes accompanied Hendricks and the officers to Paris.

### Holds Cheerful View.

Hendricks holds a cheerful view of the situation and said his opinion was that his case would be appealed. Yesterday he had his wife telephone two well known attorneys to come to this city to talk his matter over, but at that time he

did not think he would be called to leave Ada so soon.

### Booze Cause of His Capture.

Before leaving he indulged in quite a bit of talk and told Chief of Police Culver that booze was the cause of his being caught. He seemed to think that if he had have kept so

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## DEMOCRATIC POLI- CAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following are the names of  
candidates for public office subject to  
the action of the Democratic pri-  
maries occurring August 2nd.

The Democratic public is assured  
that the names appearing below rep-  
resent Democrats, who are regardless  
of the proper support of the Demo-  
cratic press and respectful toward  
the wishes of the people who desire  
to become well acquainted with the  
name and reputation of the man for  
whom they vote.

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J. W. WESTBROOK,  
R. H. (RIT) BRWIN

For County Judge:  
CONWAY O. BARTON.

Justice of the Peace, Ada Precinct:  
HENRY J. BROWN

For County Weigher:  
JOHN WARD

For Register of Deeds:  
WILBUR B. JONES  
CROCKET C. HARGIS.

**BEWARE.**  
Many candidates for the office of  
chief executive of Oklahoma are now  
busily engaged in presenting their  
personal views of the issues which  
are confronting the people of this  
great and growing state.

Of the men who have kept them-  
selves posted as to affairs political,  
we have no fear, but to the toilers of  
the field removed from sources of  
prompt and accurate information and  
who have been hard pressed in their  
attempts to provide sustenance for  
self and family thereby having little  
time to devote to posting themselves  
as to the facts up to the present time  
we would say: "Beware of the lure  
of the forked tongue possessed by the  
adherents to the Oklahoma repub-  
lican faith."

You will find the republicans in  
their frenzy berating and accusing the  
democratic party of many nefarious  
acts in connection with the running  
of the state government, however they  
have utterly failed to substantiate any  
of their insinuation of graft before  
an investigation committee composed  
of both democrats and republican  
members of the legislature; an in-  
vestigation demanded by the officials  
who were so grossly slandered, and  
which investigation, according to the  
legislative record of January 24th,  
was voted against by every republi-  
can present.

The guns of the republican candi-  
dates are loaded with slander and  
are primed by the corporate inter-  
ests of the north and east. Acting as

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the tools of these moneyed powers  
they are shooting the poison into the  
ears of the unsuspecting and hon-  
est farmer as well as into the ears  
of the busy merchant.

We would like to call attention to  
the pledges made by the leaders of  
the national republican party a few  
months back while pleading for the  
support of the commonwealth; pledges  
which were made by the same  
forked tongues and so brazenly broken  
in our faces as soon as the bal-  
lots were counted.

We find the leaders of Oklahoma  
republicanism are the appointees of  
this discredited set and that through  
them are handed down the dictates  
of the men in Washington who are  
holding their positions as the gra-  
tuitous gift of some glutton corporation  
or trust.

Whom the corporate interests would  
destroy they first seek to discredit  
in the minds of the people that the  
corporations have not been friend-  
ly to the democratic party in this  
state is readily seen upon taking cogni-  
zance of their action in appealing to  
the federal courts for the purpose  
of escaping the laws made since state  
hood for their control, and to force  
them to pay their just portion of  
taxation.

We find the republican party of  
Oklahoma aiding these corporate in-  
terests in every conceivable way and  
in return are being supplied with the  
necessary funds for carrying on a  
campaign of vilification and slander  
in the hopes of discrediting the party  
who has been the regulator of the  
interests and the friend to the man  
of small means.

The republican candidates will tell  
you that he will reduce your taxes  
but he does not tell you that if he  
does reduce them you will cease to  
build the school houses and to pro-  
vide other necessary public improve-  
ments. He does not tell you how  
you may have these things without  
paying for them, and he does not tell  
you that as a result of the broken  
pledges of his party you have to pay  
more for your lumber and nails and  
other things which are used in the  
construction of the school houses and  
bridges. The republican party of Ok-  
lahoma believes the corporations  
should regulate the people, the demo-  
cratic party of our beloved state is  
convinced that the people should re-  
gulate the corporations. It is up to  
you to choose under which banner  
you will be found marching. Again we  
repeat "Whom the corporate interests  
would destroy they first seek to dis-  
credit" Beware of the forked tongue.

The Federal government, the Fed-  
eral courts, and the Republican party  
seem to have it specially in for Ok-  
lahoma. In the beginning, when they  
found they could not control the state  
they sprung a panic on us. Money  
could be got by any state in the  
union, except Oklahoma and Texas.  
Then there was incited a reign of  
Rabald jest, of state wide aspersion  
and misrepresentation and the state  
authorities were put to all sorts of  
trouble and the people to all sorts of  
expense, probing evils existing only  
in the fevered imagination of republi-  
can newspapers and their inciters,  
who thought the democrats were  
working a graft, because they knew  
they would if they had a chance. The  
man who is now the head of the  
Federal government came all the way  
to Oklahoma City to make fun of our  
constitution. Now the program is: En-  
join all salutary legislation; help  
the corporation get out of paying  
their taxes; let the whole burden fall  
and adding to cost, get the people in  
on the public and the corporations go  
free. Give them increased rates for  
transportation; by cutting off  
revenue a devil of a fix and then tell  
them its the democrats did it. Maybe  
so you think these ere people in Ok-  
lahoma heap d-m fools.—Anadarko  
Democrat.

The democratic party in Oklahoma  
seems to be in good fighting trim  
and the fight this fall should be  
warm enough to suit the most en-  
thusiastic fight fan.—Beckham Co.  
News.

It is costing the people of Oklaho-  
ma \$250 a day in salaries to the repub-  
lican members of the house and  
they bite the hand that feeds them  
by attempting to prevent the passage  
of any bill advocated by the people  
and on which they are afraid the  
democrats will gain a little prestige.

## FOURTEEN HORSES BURNED.

Early Morning Fire at Sedalia De-  
stroys Business Section Property.

Sedalia, Mo., March 8.—Between 2  
and 3 o'clock this morning, three-  
fourths of the block bounded by Main  
and Second street and Vermont and  
Monteau avenues was swept by fire,  
destroying property of the estimated  
value of between \$80,000 and \$90,000.  
The buildings burned were: T. K.  
Barley's machine and foundry works;  
W. J. Menefee's grocery store, coal  
yard and feed stables; John W. Menefee's  
livery barn and George Menefee's  
grocery store, coal yard and

## Several Incidents In the Life of Platt

Following are several incidents of  
the life of Thomas C. Platt, former  
United States senator and for many  
years a national figure in republi-  
can politics.

Thomas Collier Platt, the "Easy  
Boss" of earlier and brighter days,  
was for many years not only the re-  
publican leader of his state, but a  
figure in national politics, shoulder-  
to shoulder with men of such rank  
and reputation as the late Matthew  
Stanley Quay of Pennsylvania.

Both were men of exceptional in-  
tellectual attainments, and both turned  
them, with signal success, to party  
organization. Quay died still a  
power; Platt outlived his time and  
felt himself in late years out of  
touch with the moving spirit of  
events.

In "Twenty Years in Congress"  
James G. Blaine described Platt as "a  
business man of great personal popu-  
larity. He has an aptitude for pub-  
lic affairs, and is a man of strong  
influence in his state. He is no de-  
bater, but has strong common sense  
and a quick judgment of men."

Yet with all his native judgment,  
wide experience and skill as an or-  
ganizer, it became the fate of Platt  
to win remembrance more for his as-  
sociations with others than for any-  
thing he did of his own initiative.

Twice in his life Platt was the  
center of the national stage—once  
when he resigned with Roscoe Con-  
kling from the United States senate,  
and was instantly nicknamed "Me  
Too" Platt, and once when he in-  
duced Theodore Roosevelt to run for  
vice president with McKinley, very  
much against Roosevelt's better judg-  
ment in the face of his repeated de-  
clarations that nothing could induce  
him to accept the nomination.

There could not be a better in-  
stance of Platt's skill in persuasion  
and manipulation, or of the irony  
that mocked his ripest wisdom. Mc-  
Kinley was shot, Roosevelt became  
president and the days of Platt's de-  
nomination in the state lapsed into  
senility. His bodily strength declin-  
ed rapidly. He made a second mar-  
riage which ended in the courts, and  
he was sued by Mae Wood, former-  
ly a clerk in the government em-  
ploy, for a divorce, on the strength  
of a third marriage never proved to  
have taken place.

The episode with Conkling, which  
was not exceeded in public excite-  
ment, say the newspaper files of that  
day, by any event in the civil war,  
was as follows:

Platt was elected to the senate in  
1881. He and his colleague, Conkling

feed stables; John W. Menefee's liv-  
ery barn and George Menefee's horse  
barns, in which fourteen horses were  
burned.

The fire department stopped the  
flames from spreading to the babcock  
lumber yards in the same block and  
to the Sedalia Milling Company's  
large flouring mill across the street  
from Menefee's livery barn, which  
was a roaring furnace for an hour.

## NECK BROKEN ON STAGE.

Audience of 1,500 See Accident to  
Girl in Cincinnati Theater.

Cincinnati, March 8.—Fifteen  
hundred people were horror-stricken at  
a vaudeville theater here this after-  
noon when at the conclusion of an  
act a performer named Augusta Fas-  
sio, while perched on her brother's  
head, eighteen feet above the stage,  
lost her balance and fell headfore-  
most to the floor, breaking her neck.  
She has little chance of recovery.

The man was on tables piled twelve  
feet above the stage, and it was the  
finale of the act. For the moment  
the audience thought it a part of the  
act, but when the girl's form crumpled  
in a heap on the floor and a smothered  
cry came from her lips, the entire  
audience rose and for a moment a  
small-sized panic ensued.

## 23 KILLED.

Juneau, Alaska, Mar. 4.—Twenty-  
three miners were killed last night  
by an explosion of a powder maga-  
zine in the 1,000-foot level of the main  
mine, one of the group of Tread-  
well gold properties on Douglass Is-  
land. Eight men were seriously in-  
jured, of whom it is said four will  
die.

The last shots had been fired by  
the shift of men twenty minutes be-  
fore the explosion took place and the  
men had assembled at the landing of  
the skip and were arranging to enter  
it and go on top.

The magazine, which contained 275  
tons of powder, was thirty feet away  
from the place where the men were  
standing and every man was killed or  
injured.

Most of the miners were foreigners,  
and only three had families on the  
island.

became embroiled with President  
Garfield in a bitter controversy over  
the appointment of William H. Rob-  
ertson to be collector of the port of  
New York. The report was distaste-  
ful to the New York Organization,  
and both Platt and Conkling refus-  
ed to confirm it in the senate.

Thereupon President Garfield with-  
drew all other New York nominations  
made at their instance, among which  
were those of Stewart L. Woodward,  
to be United States district attorney,  
and Lou F. Payne, recently remem-  
bered as an "accelerator of public  
opinion," to be United States marshal.

Finding, themselves in a hopeless  
deadlock, Platt and Conkling both re-  
signed. Conkling was caught in the  
great blizzard of 1888, and died of  
exposure. Platt was supposed to be  
frozen out of politics. Nothing of the  
sort—he turned his attention to  
building influence in the Southern  
tier of New York counties, became  
state leader again in 1894 and in  
1897 was elected a second time to  
the United States senate succeeding  
David Bennett Hill.

He fell out with Governor Frank  
Black and, to defeat his renomination  
put forward Theodore Roosevelt, a  
type whose undeveloped possibilities  
he did not justly estimate. It was  
Roosevelt's rapid progress toward  
popularity and power that later led  
Platt to suggest him for the vice  
presidency, hoping that in the quiet  
of that dignified office he might be  
forgotten.

Platt was born in Owego, Tioga  
county, N. Y., on July 15, 1833, of  
Puritan ancestry. He entered Yale  
college with the class of 1849. His  
father wished him to study for the  
ministry, but he never advanced far-  
ther in that direction than to sing in  
the church choir.

A brief apprenticeship at literature  
was succeeded by more congenial  
employment in business. He prospered  
in Michigan in the lumber trade, re-  
turned to Owego and became presi-  
dent of the Tioga National bank; was  
chosen a director and later president  
of the Southern Central Railroad Co.  
and in 1879 was elected general man-  
ager and secretary of the United  
States Express Company, of which  
company he became president in 1880  
so remaining until his death.

In physique Platt, as a young man,  
was pleasant in appearance, deli-  
cately built, restless and nervous.  
In later years his visage took on grim-  
ness. By his first marriage to Ellen  
Barstow of Owego he had three sons  
—Frank H., Edward T. and Harry B.  
Platt. He had been in feeble health  
for some years before his death.

## FIRE PANIC IN THEATER.

East St. Louis Play House Destroyed—  
East; Patrons Escape Unharmed.

East St. Louis, Ill., Mar. 8.—Near-  
ly a hundred persons, many of them  
women and children, had narrow es-  
capes in a fire that gutted the city's  
largest playhouse tonight. As far as  
known, no lives were lost, although  
the building was practically destroyed.

The fire broke out about 7:30  
o'clock, before the performance had  
begun. A cry of "fire" resulted in a  
panic in the audience, but all are  
believed to have escaped.

## Bargains in Sunrise.

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## RACE RIOT IN FLOR- IDA—FIVE ARE DEAD

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and reported that the two Ellis ne-  
groes, brothers, and Ruddy had been  
killed and their riddled bodies left  
in the swamps.

Sam Ellis, one of two negro brothers  
charged with the responsibility  
of the trouble, was riddled with bul-  
lets by a posse early today, but not,  
however, before he and his brother,  
Wade, had mortally wounded Deputy  
Morgan and seriously wounded De-  
puty Burnette. Wade Ellis escaped. At  
daybreak Deputy Morgan and Bur-  
nette, who were placed on guard at  
a bridge, saw two negroes approach-  
ing and commanded them to halt.  
For answer the negroes opened fire  
and Deputy Morgan fell mortally  
wounded. Sam Ellis seized the fallen  
man's gun and raised it to fire on  
Burnette. Burnette was too quick  
and shot the negro through the head.  
This shot was not fatal. The other  
negro opened fire on Burnette and  
one of the bullets took off his lower  
lip. When the desperado had emptied  
his gun he disappeared in the swamp.

Burnette tied the wounded negro  
to a tree and carried his fellow-offi-  
cer to a nearby house. A short time  
later the posse arrived, and after  
learning what the negroes had done  
riddled Sam Ellis with bullets. After  
shooting the negro to death plans  
were laid for the capture of the other  
negro.

He was found at dusk, as stated  
above, and a few minutes later the  
posse departed, leaving his dead body.

The negro, Ruddy, was killed sing-  
le-handed by Henry Wisgame, a mem-  
ber of the sheriff's posse, last night  
in the edge of a swamp near the ne-  
gro's house. His body was found this  
afternoon.

## HOME TELEPHONE CO. READY FOR BUSINESS

THE FARMERS' INDEPENDENT  
TELEPHONE CO., OF PONTO-  
TOC COUNTY

Has Been Re-organized, Revitalized  
and Is Now Going Con-  
cern.

It has a line in operation between  
Ada and Abbott, and is preparing to  
extend the line to Byrd's Mill, Ford  
City, Allen and other points along  
the Missouri, Oklahoma and Gulf rail-  
way, and to put in rural lines to all  
parts of Pontotoc county, and to  
establish a local exchange at Ada, so  
as to put the neighboring towns, and  
the rural communities in direct com-  
munication with the business and  
professional men of the city of Ada.

The capital stock of the company  
is six hundred shares of the par val-  
ue of ten dollars each. Only a part  
of this stock has been issued and the  
Board of Directors has authoriz-  
ed the sale of two hundred shares  
of the unissued stock for the pur-  
pose of raising funds to carry out  
the extensions planned. It can be  
demonstrated that this stock will pay  
satisfactory dividends and promises a  
safe and profitable investment. Think  
it over and be ready to talk to the  
solicitor when he calls. Help this  
Ada enterprise along. Help boost Ada.  
Help the farmers who trade at Ada.  
Be a booster.

J. H. KEEN, President,  
R. A. BARRINGER, Secretary.  
Offices Room No. 6, over Ada Na-  
tional bank, Ada, Okla. 6td-1tw

If you want Ada property con-  
serve your interest by calling at the  
Weaver Real Estate office, News  
building.

## Notice to Sewer Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received at the  
office of W. B. Jones, City Clerk, Ada  
Oklahoma, up to 5 o'clock P. M.  
March 14th, 1910, for the construction  
of a Lateral sewer in District No. 3  
comprising certain portions of Sun-  
rise, Donaghey, Normal Heights, Cap-  
itol Hill and Dan Hays additions, all  
in the city of Ada, Oklahoma, ac-  
cording to plans and specifications  
now on file in the office of the City  
Clerk.

Each bid must be accompanied by  
a certified check in the sum of 3  
per cent of the amount bid to be  
forfeited to the City of Ada in case  
the successful bidder fails to enter  
into and give the required bond in  
the required time.

Contractors will be required to  
give a bond in the sum of 30 per  
cent of the contract price for the  
faithful performance of said work  
and the holding of the city harmless  
from any and all damages which  
might occur.

Council reserves the right to re-  
ject any or all bids.

(SEAL) W. B. JONES,

City Clerk.

(Published March 2nd to March 12th  
inclusive.)

## Stubborn As Mules

are liver and bowels sometimes;  
seem to balk without cause. Then  
there's trouble—Loss of Appetite—In-  
digestion, Nervousness, Despondency,  
Headache. But such troubles fly be-  
fore Dr. King's New Life Pills, the  
world's best Stomach and Liver reme-  
dy. So easy. 25c at Ramsey Drug Co.

## THE PEOPLE ALL

Is Chorus Cried, Give Us Newber's  
Herpicide.

This word of late has been in every-  
one's mouth, and many are wondering  
what the word signifies, though no one  
has yet been found, who will deny that  
NEWBER'S HERPICIDE does the work.  
Well, for the information of thousands of  
people who like to know all about a good  
thing, we would say that HERPICIDE  
means, a destroyer or killer of "Herpes."  
Now "Herpes" is the family name of a  
disease caused by various vegetable par-  
asites. A similar microbe causes dan-  
druft, itching scalp, and falling hair; this  
is the microbe that NEWBER'S HERPI-  
CIDE promptly destroys; after which the  
hair grows. Sold by leading druggists.  
Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The  
Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

ONE DOLLAR BOTTLES GUARANTEED  
Ramsey Drug Co., Special Agents.

## Ada Electric Shoe Hospital

We are now open for business

Shoe Repairing  
While You Wait

## PRICES

Men's Half Sole and  
Heel .....\$1.00  
Ladies Half Soles and  
Heel ..... 75c  
Children's Half Soles  
and Heel 50, 60, 75c  
Best Rubber Heels ..... 50c

We solicit the patronage of  
those wanting good and quick  
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money can buy is used in all of  
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Yours very truly,

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All Work Guaranteed

If it is a Home or desirable  
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Can supply that want 1-3 to 1-2 Cash and  
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# Farmers State Bank

YOUR BANKING BUSINESS  
with us will receive our most  
careful attention.

F. O. HARRISS, Cashier.

## CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

The weather—Partly cloudy and cooler Tuesday and Wednesday.

### Smith Sells Furniture.

Stall, the photographer, phone 176.

P. T. Drummond of Shawnee is visiting his son C. R. Drummond.

List your real estate with the Weaver Agency.

"When words fail," send Dolly Varden Chocolates. Ramsey Drug Co.

W. E. Mooney of Stonewall is a business caller in the city today.

The celebrated "Money Back" flour, the best on the market, at Walsh's.

Scott W. Lanam and J. W. Mays, prominent farmers of Center, are in the city today transacting business.

Headquarters for Richard Hadnutt Fine Perfumes and Toilet waters. Ramsey Drug Co.

Miss Sue Howell, of Oklahoma City arrived this morning to attend the missionary meeting being held today at the Baptist church.

Mrs. Garrett and Miss Barberoot of Stonewall, representatives of the Baptist church, are attending the missionary rally here.

Have you used Peroxide Cream? A delightful Cold Cream without grease. RAMSEY DRUG CO.

Miss Austin, of the National Baptist Convention of Chicago, is with the Baptist ladies in their missionary meeting today.

J. F. Jackson has returned from Mulberry, Ark. He was called to the bedside of his mother who is very ill.

If you try one sack of the celebrated "Money Back" flour at Walsh's you will use no other.

Mrs. L. Rosenfield has returned to the city from eastern markets where she purchased up to now dry goods for the Grand Leader.

Fancy eating apples, not Ben Davis, at \$1.25 for a bushel box at Walsh's.

We can safely state that if the membership of the legislature was entirely democratic the session would not have been prolonged more than three weeks.

We have just received a new line of Spring Millinery, Hair Goods, Hair Ornaments, Ladies' New Style Collar Pins, Ties, Kid and other Gloves, the latest in Needle work, etc, etc. See Baragin Counter. WESTCOTT'S

The new abstract company which was recently organized composed of about thirty local men with C. T. Angel secretary and treasurer has bought the books of the Pontotoc County Abstract company and expect to have a charter and be ready for business in a few days. The new company will retain the offices of the Pontotoc company in the rear of the M. & P. bank.

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership. To All Persons Concerned:

Notice is hereby given that the partnership of S. J. Lattimore and C. R. Drummond under the firm name of Drummond & Lattimore, Clothiers, has, by mutual consent of both parties, been this day dissolved. Mr. Lattimore retires from the business, and Mr. Drummond will conduct the same business of clothing and furnishing goods in the Wright building on West Main street in Ada, where he will be glad to see the old customers of the firm.

All the debts of the firm are hereby assumed by C. R. Drummond, and all persons owing the firm of Drummond & Lattimore will please call and pay the same to Mr. Drummond. Dated at Ada, Oklahoma, this 3rd day of March, 1910.

C. R. DRUMMOND,  
S. J. LATTIMORE

L. T. Walters has just received a lot of new sheet music.

The brick work of the Coco Cola building began this morning.

Sheet music both vocal and instrumental at L. T. Walters. New publications.

Mrs. J. Autry and Mrs. Schuler of Konawa, are in the city today the guests of friends.

If you want a piano, sheet music, wall paper or picture frames, you can get them of L. T. Walters.

City Attorney J. E. Webb returned yesterday from Muskogee where he went on matters of business.

On the Water Wagon Again. All parties wishing artesian water and not receiving it, will please phone their wants to Stall's Studio.

MARRIAGE LICENSES. Geo. McMillan, 22, Stonewall; Miss Ethel Stendeman, 17, Stonewall.

Ice Cream That is Pure. The Purety Ice Cream Co., are now doing business and are at your service. Quality and price guaranteed. Phone No. 223. R. L. MCGUYRE.

DISTRICT COURT. The jury in the case of Ben Mullins for killing Zelp Blevins last September is out. Will Perry, a negro, is up charged with swiping a calf.

BAPTIST CHURCH. Miss Austin, field secretary of the Ladies Department of the Missionary Union, will speak at the Baptist church at 7:30 this evening. The public is respectfully invited to attend.

MEETING IN SESSION. The Baptist ladies are in session today at the First church, the occasion being an all day missionary meeting. Several visitors from neighboring towns are with them. The local Baptists deem it a great privilege to have this opportunity of hearing Miss Austin, secretary of National Convention of Chicago, and Miss Howell, secretary of Oklahoma convention, and feel that the information they bring from the mission fields will be of much benefit to their society and church. The members prepared a delicious lunch which was served at noon in Mrs. Stubblefield's home. A large crowd is expected to attend the evening service, when Miss Austin will deliver an address. Not only the ladies, but the men, too are invited.

NOT REMOVED FROM CITY BUT HERE TO STAY. In announcing the removal of my millinery business to the building adjoining the one occupied last year, some seemed to have gotten the impression that I had left the city. The change was made in order to give me more room to display my large stock of high grade millinery goods, which are now on display, and I invite a critical inspection from the ladies of the city, knowing that my patterns are the latest styles and best quality. I also desire to say that I do fine dressmaking, but do not make it my specialty.

I have a competent trimmer whose work will compare favorably with any trimmer in the state and everything in the millinery line is guaranteed to be satisfactory. Every article in my store is made under my personal supervision. Watch for announcement of the big millinery opening soon, which will convince you that I have not removed from the city or retired from the millinery business.

MRS. M. C. WHITMORE.

BARRINGER HEIGHTS. As Pretty as Can Be. We have a number of lots in this very beautiful south-west addition at attractive prices and terms to suit purchaser. Call at once and investigate this proposition. WEAVER AGENCY.

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## WRECK ON FSIGCO NEAR SASAKWA YESTERDAY

LIFE OF ONE MAN ALMOST TO AN END.

Nine Cars Jump Track and Six Reduced to Kindling Wood—Other Trains Late.

A wreck that came very near killing one or more persons occurred one mile north of Sasakwa on the Frisco yesterday afternoon. Nine cars leaped off the track, three of them being torn to splinters, and merchandise was scattered all over the country.

The accident happened at a big fill near Little River. A man was riding one of the derailed cars and left the track with it. He did not receive a scratch but how he got away with his life is hard to figure.

The south-bound passenger was behind the wreck and did not arrive here until about 9 o'clock being nearly four hours late. The track was quickly fixed up and today trains are running on time.

## 17TH STREET RESIDENT STOPS WORK OF DITCHER

POINTS SHOT GUN AT CREW AND COMMANDS A HALT.

G. P. Carney Says Machine Was Intruding on His Rights—City Engineer Says No.

This afternoon G. P. Carney whose residence is on 17th street temporarily stopped the operation of the steam ditcher by pointing a shot gun at the men in charge of the ditcher and commanding them to halt.

Carney claims the ditcher was cutting his property and that the men in charge of the machine had torn down his fence. This forenoon he told them that if they began work at the same place this afternoon he would stop them.

The ditcher went to work about one o'clock and the men were confronted with Mr. Carney's shotgun. They quit but resumed work in about an hour.

Says Fence Out of Line. City Engineer Ekman stated this afternoon that the fence was 6 or 7 feet out of line and that he had it moved. He gave the boys instructions to proceed with the work which they did.

SOME REAL ESTATE BARGAINS.

\$1,500—Good four room house and 75 feet on corner in Sunrise addition. Splendid well, good storm cellar and barn. Cheap at \$1,300.

\$275—The most desirable lot in Donaghey. Terms.

\$2,000—Six room house in good repair, barn, fruit trees, etc. Corner 14th and Cherry.

\$800—A pair beauties on corner 16th and Stockton.

\$1,500—A dandy business lot near Main on Broadway.

\$1,250—A four room house on acre with fruit trees and good well.

\$1,150—Four room house on 150 feet on west 12th.

\$800—Eight pretty lots in north Ada. Terms.

\$450—Two room house on west 19th street, on 100x140 feet front. High and pretty. Terms to suit.

\$375—Two good looking lots with shade trees in front—near Normal school. Ter. 4.

\$800—Four room house on 15th and Stockton. Good well, barn and 50 feet. One half cash balance easy.

\$200—Lot in Donaghey. \$120 cash balance easy.

\$1,250—Good four room house, 50 feet front; concrete sidewalk. In block of postoffice. Terms.

THE WEAVER AGENCY.

Carlton Weaver, Representative

Vesuvius Is in Eruption.

Naples, March 8.—Vesuvius has suddenly become active again. There has been a continuous eruption for the past twenty-four hours of red-hot stones and ashes, this being accompanied by internal detonations. Several fissures have opened, from which gas and lava are emerging in great quantities.

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## WAS COUNCIL'S NIGHT FOR PASSING BILLS

THE USUAL NUMBER GREETED COUNCIL.

Stand Pipe Ordered to Be Put on South Broadway Property at Once.

Nothing exciting took place at the regular meeting of the city council last night, the only thing that might possibly cause something of an exciting nature to turn up being the approving of lots of bills. Those bills for which warrants were instructed to be issued were as follows in the next paragraph:

Bills Allowed.

Collins & Daugherty, \$1.50; P. G. Ekman, \$11.71; C. T. Loman, 75c; B. B. Brinkley, \$12.60; C. M. Howell, \$50.00; S. W. Hill, \$50; W. H. Fisher, \$25; Miller Bros., Oklahoma City, \$7.00; Oklahoma Portland Cement Co., \$9.50; Gwin & Mays, \$46.85; Pioneer Telephone Co., \$3.50; Reed & Johnson, \$2.65; J. B. Gitcher, \$56; J. Maxey, \$24; G. B. West, \$17.80; Evening & Weekly News, \$24.75. Ada \$576.90; Ada Drug Co., \$38.40. American Hardware Co., \$2.80; Ramsey Drug Co., \$3.70; G. W. Chadwick, \$3.00; J. T. Reed, \$5; Ada E. & G. Co., ican Disinfecting Co., \$98.75.

Alarm on Pipe.

An alarm was ordered put on the stand pipe which is located on Frank Jones' property on South Broadway.

Mayor Little being out of the city, Chairman Sims acted as mayor.

## GRAND LEADER INSTALLS FINE CLOTHING CABINET

BIG DEPARTMENT STORE MAKES MANY IMPROVEMENTS.

Cabinet Cost Several Hundred Dollars and is One of Finest in South Oklahoma.

The Grand Leader Store is the scene of much hustling now rearranging the store and taking care of the large amount of new goods which is coming in daily.

The management saw that the rapidly increasing patronage of its popular clothing department made it necessary that the capacity be enlarged. This insight was followed by the re-arranging of a few departments and now the north entrance consists entirely of gents furnishing goods, and is in charge of John Katz and W. L. Morgan. One of the finest clothing cabinets ever installed in this part of the state has just been added to the other up to date fixtures. This cabinet cost several hundred dollars and is really a beauty.

Substantial improvements have been made in every department of the big store and as the buyers return from the various markets the latest goods of all sorts are being put on display.

ONE MILLION DOLLARS FOR A GOOD STOMACH

This Offer Should Be a Warning to Every Man and Woman.

The newspapers and medical journals have had much to say relative to a famous millionaire's offer of a million dollars for a new stomach.

This great multi-millionaire was too busy to worry about the condition of his stomach. He allowed his dyspepsia to run from bad to worse until in the end it became incurable. His misfortune should serve as a warning to others. Every one who suffers with dyspepsia for a few years will give everything he owns for a new stomach.

Dyspepsia is caused by an abnormal state of the gastric juices. There is one element missing—Pepsin. The absence of this destroys the function of the gastric fluids. They lose their power to digest food.

We are now able to supply the pepsin in a form almost identical to that naturally created by the system when in normal health, so that it restores to the gastric juices their digestive power and thus makes the stomach strong and well.

We want every one troubled with indigestion and dyspepsia to come to our store and obtain a box of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets. They contain Bismuth-Subnitrate and Pepsin prepared by a process which develops their greatest power to overcome digestive disturbance.

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets are very pleasant to take. They soothe the irritable, weak stomach, strengthen and invigorate the digestive organs, relieve nausea and indigestion, promote nutrition and bring about a feeling of comfort.

If you give Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets a reason able trial we will return your money if you are not satisfied with the result. Three sizes, 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1.00. Remember you can obtain Rexall Remedies in Ada only at our store—The Rexall Store. The Gwin & Mays Co., West Main St.

## Money Talks

The possession of money or property rightly earned and saved marks the man of ability. GET THE HABIT. Deposit your savings with M. & P. State Bank.

We Solicit Large and Small Accounts

## Merchants and Planters State Bank

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### LOST FORTUNE AT FARO.

Champagne Helped New Yorker to Part With Big Sum in a Night.

New York, March 5.—The big faro game in which Marshall Bell, a retired business man of Newburg, is said to have lost \$110,000 on the night of November 14, 1908, came into public view again when Mr. Bell's affidavit, taken before the trial in a suit brought against him by Joseph Mager of Mount Vernon, was filed. Mr. Meager holds a note for \$10,000 signed by Bell, and Mr. Bell, while admitting the signature of the note, refused to pay it on the ground that it was given for a gambling debt.

In his affidavit Mr. Bell who is 65 years old, says he was taken to a gambling house in this city on the November night in question, by a man named Metcalf. Metcalf, according to the affidavit, persuaded Mr. Bell to sit in a game of faro. Mr. Bell says that between midnight and 4:30 a. m. he drank a quart of champagne, a bottle of whisky and some other liquors, and was naturally a little uncertain in his actions.

After the game had been running two or three hours, the affidavit says the dealer told Mr. Bell he had lost \$30,000, and asked for a check. Mr. Bell says he refused to sign a check but did sign I. O. U.'s for an amount unknown to him. Later on he was told that he had lost \$30,000 more and signed what he thought were some more I. O. U.'s. He says that he was told by the gamblers that he was not signing promissory notes.

Insurance against tornadoes is in order as the cyclone season approaches. Weaver Agency.

## The Progressive Skirt



We are showing the Correct Styles and Colors in this popular brand of

Ladies Walking Skirts

and you will find them to your taste at Guest Bros. Call and let us make good our assertion.

Yours very truly,

Guest Bros.

## Hot and Cold Stuff

Manufacturers of Ice Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Coal Long Distance Phone 29

## Ada Ice and Fuel Co.

We sell the best Fancy Lump Coal, and to insure clean coal to our customers, we load our wagons with forks. We have our own wagons which insure prompt service. OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT. CALL US UP.

## The SHOE Proclaims The Well Dressed Woman

There is not a woman anywhere, no matter how handsome her Frock or Hat may be, that is well dressed unless her shoes are pretty and neat.

We are able to relieve you of this—if you are in such a place—have most of our earlier Spring Styles now. Anything in Slippers or Pump, Patent Leather in Button or Lace. The best for the price. "Yesterday's styles are not here—everything up-to-date."

Chapman The Shoe Man  
E. Main - Ada, Okla.



# GOVERNOR DOES NOT APPROVE THE BILL

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the putting of Creek with Payne, or Okmulgee with Wagoner. Memorial also came from Atoka county, asking for four judges to the Muskogee-Bryan county district, in place of three. Senator Beeler stated that no one up and down the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway was in favor of the bill as it stands. The amendment of Senator Memminger to put Coal county in the Bryan county district failed by a vote of 15 to 21. By a close vote the amendment of Senator Blair reducing the number of judges in the Oklahoma county district from four to three prevailed. The nominating districts were changed as follows:

Cleveland, McClain, Garvin and Murray counties; Carter and Love and Oklahoma counties in a nominating district by themselves. The bill finally passed by a vote of 23 to 16, the following being the negative votes: Allen, Beeler, Brownlee, Chapman, Cloonan, Colville, Cunningham, Curd, Graham, Hatchett, Keys, Memminger, Sorrels, Udegraff, Warren and Yeager.

Lobbyists who have been here working against passage of a fee and salary bill received some attention from the governor in a special message sent to the legislature today dealing with that legislation. Members expressed to the governor the opinion that it was doubtful if a bill would go through, which he stated he hoped was unfounded. Possibly having in mind the House bill pending in committee of the whole, the governor told the legislature that a person to qualify himself to be a district judge had to read law for three years and practice for five years and then he was ready to draw a salary of \$3,000 per year. A first-grade college professor only earned, he said, between \$1,500 and \$1,800 whereas the bills pending proposed to pay to a clerk, who was required to have nothing more than a common school education and an ordinary business experience, more than either the district judge or the college professor.

The governor denied the right of county officers to be here lobbying while the people were entitled to their services at home, and denied their right persistently to force their views into the legislation with the hope of influencing it. He reminded the legislature that the proposed law would not affect the present officers and that it was not incumbent upon these officers to be candidates for re-election in event the salary was too low.

The house straightway took up the bill in committee of the whole and lowered the maximum salaries of the officers as follows: Sheriff, county judge, county treasurer, district clerk and register of deeds, \$3,000, and clerk of county court, \$1,500. The maximum population figured the bill is 6,000 for counties. The

maximum salary for County Judge and County Attorney was increased from \$1,200 to \$1,400. The maximum for Judge of the Superior Court is \$3,000 and for the clerk of that court \$3,500. An amendment was adopted which allows sheriffs to collect for expenses in misdemeanor cases, whether there is a conviction or not.

## In the Senate.

In the senate final passage was obtained upon bills by Mr. Jacobs, making Muldrow a court town, and the bill by Mr. Dixon, making Weleetka a court town; the bill by Messrs. Allen and Smith, limiting the amount railroads may issue in stocks and bonds; the Allen bill, providing that County Superior courts may be established in counties with 25,000 population and having a town of at least 7,000 people, and the bill fixing fees to be charged clerk of the supreme and criminal court of appeals and placing the clerk on a salary of \$2,600 per year.

The senate adopted a conference report on the corporation tax bill requiring domestic companies to pay to the state 50c per \$1,000 on capital stock, and foreign companies \$1 per \$1,000 on that part of the capital stock used in the business done in Oklahoma. Companies paying other special taxes are exempted from provisions of the law.

Both houses adopted a conference report on Mr. Anthony's bill fixing the maximum tax levies and creating excise boards in counties. Where the assessed valuation of a county is less than \$4,000,000, the tax for county purposes shall not exceed 6 mills.

The house killed the bill creating the office of county assessors and displacing Township assessors, the vote being 50 to 38. Mr. Cope gave notice of motion to reconsider tomorrow. Both houses adopted a resolution by Senator Taylor referring mildly to the recent Hook decision and requesting the corporation commission to give to the people what the difference will be in cost in freight and passenger rates under the commission's tariffs and those to be adopted by the railroad companies. The resolution also requests such information pertaining to other southwestern states and the amount of profit the railroad companies are earning.

A new house bill today was by Mr. Ross, making Temple a court town in Comanche county.

## Do You Need Money.

Loans made on improved city property or to build with. Represent company that has greater facilities for handling city loans than all others combined. Straight loan for long term with privilege to pay after one year. Semi-annual payments. Cheapest rates. See Ada Title & Trust Co.

Clean rags wanted at News office.

# HENDRICKS HAS NOW GONE TO PARIS, TEXAS

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ber he would have been out of the country some time ago.

## Wasn't in State Long.

According to his story he has been in Oklahoma only four months, coming to the state from west Texas. At that time he wore long beard and hair, it having been five months since he had a shave or hair cut. He said he first went to his home and found his mother feeding hogs. Owing to his crop of hair she did not at once recognize him, but his eyes gave him away. Those who know Hendricks have noticed that his eyes are very far apart. He then went to his brother-in-law's—Joe Daniels—place and before he recognized him he attempted to rent his place. After this he got a shave and did not care who recognized him.

## Was Afraid of Ada.

Upon his return here from Holdenville Monday morning Hendricks told the officers not to let the boys lynch him. He was told that there was no more danger of him being lynched than any one else.

## ORDINANCE NO. 199.

An Ordinance grating to the Ada Oil & Gas Company, a corporation, the right to acquire, construct, maintain and operate a system of works in the City of Ada, State of Oklahoma, for the purpose of distributing and selling natural gas and manufactured gas in said city, and to the inhabitants thereof.

Be It Ordained, by the Mayor and City Councilmen of the City of Ada, Oklahoma.

Whereas, on the 1st day of November, 1909, at a regular meeting of the mayor and councilmen of the City of Ada, Oklahoma, in the County of Pontotoc and State of Oklahoma, there was duly presented to the mayor and councilmen a petition signed by more than twenty-five per cent of the qualified voters of said city, requesting the mayor of the City of Ada, to call an election as provided in Section 5B, Article 18 of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma.

Whereas, on the 17th day of November, 1909, the mayor of the City of Ada, Oklahoma, issued his election proclamation calling for an election to be held in said City on the 17th day of December, 1909, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said city, the question of the approval or disapproval of the franchise to the Ada Oil and Gas Company, a private corporation, by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ada, Oklahoma, as requested by said petitioners.

Whereas, in pursuance of said election proclamation, there was held in the City of Ada, Oklahoma, on the 17th day of December, 1909, a special election at which time, and in the manner as prescribed by law, said question was voted upon by the qualified electors of said City, a majority of all ballots cast being for granting said franchise.

Section 1. The word "City" as hereinafter used shall designate the City of Ada, Pontotoc County, Oklahoma, and the word "Grantee" as hereinafter used shall designate the Ada Oil & Gas Company, a corporation organized under the laws of Oklahoma.

Section 2. During the term of twenty-five (25) years from and after the passage, approval, publication and ratification as provided by law, and upon acceptance as herein provided, of this ordinance, the said Grantee is hereby empowered to acquire, construct, maintain and operate a system of works in the said city for the purpose of manufacturing or distributing and selling to said city and inhabitants thereof, artificial and natural gas and for such purpose said Grantee shall have the right to enter upon and lay its mains and pipes through and in the streets, avenues, alleys and public places of said city, provided however, that said Grantee shall in all cases save the city harmless by reason thereof and shall restore all said streets, avenues, alleys and public places to their original condition as speedily as possible at the expense of Grantee.

Section 3. During the life of this franchise said Grantee shall have the right to charge said city and inhabitants thereof the following rates for natural gas furnished:

If said natural gas is piped not to exceed five miles from intersection of Broadway and Main streets, in said city, the sum of twenty-seven and one-half (27½) cents per one thousand (1000) cubic feet, ten miles, thirty-two and one-half (32½) cents; twenty miles, thirty-seven and one-half (37½) cents; forty miles, forty-two and one-half (42½) cents; and Grantee in every case where the consumer's bill is less than One Dollar and Ten cents (\$1.10) per month may charge a minimum rate of One Dollar and Ten Cents (\$1.10) per month for each meter connection.

Section 4. Should the supply of natural gas available to the Grantee fall during the life of this franchise, thereafter said Grantee shall have the right to furnish to said City and

inhabitants thereof artificial gas, and shall have the right to charge therefor not to exceed One Dollar and Forty Cents (\$1.40) per one thousand (1000) cubic feet.

Section 5. All bills shall be due and payable at the office of said Grantee on or before the tenth day of each month next following that in which the gas is used and if paid on or before said tenth day a discount of two and one-half cents (2½) cents per thousand cubic feet shall be granted on said bills so paid, and upon failure of any consumer to pay any bill on or before the fifteenth of said month, the Grantee may discontinue the service of such consumer and said Grantee shall not be required to furnish service to any such consumer until said consumer has first paid all indebtedness and in addition thereto a sum not exceeding One Dollar (\$1.00) as a charge for reconnecting said consumer.

Section 6. No deposit for meter or meters shall be required or exacted, except for the protection of Grantee from financial loss and as security for the payment of bills for service rendered. Grantee may require and the consumer shall, if Grantee demands, deposit with it, for which it shall issue a receipt, a sum or amount of money equal to the estimated service of one and one-half months, upon which Grantee shall pay to such consumer annually interest at 5 per cent. per annum. And at the time service is discontinued the deposit less any moneys the consumer may owe to the Grantee at that time shall be immediately returned to the consumer.

Section 7. The Grantee shall have the right to assign to any other person, firm or corporation, the rights and obligations of this franchise, and any assignee thereof, by accepting said assignment, shall become bound thereby, but in the event of an assignment, said assignment shall be in writing and duly authenticated copy thereof shall be filed with the City Clerk of said City.

Section 8. Within fifteen days after the passage, approval and publication of this ordinance, the said Ada Oil & Gas Company, its successors or assigns, shall file with the Clerk of said City, a written acceptance of this Ordinance, and upon failure to file such acceptance, then this ordinance shall not become operative, or vest any rights or privileges or franchise what-so-ever.

Section 9. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication as provided by law, and upon its acceptance in writing as herein provided; and it is further provided that unless Gas is supplied under this franchise within three years from the date of the passage thereof, then this ordinance shall become null and void.

Section 10. The Mayor and City Council, and their successors shall at all times have power to impose all needful and reasonable regulations for the protection of the interests of the inhabitants of said City, and among other things, shall have the power after a full hearing to require extensions of service where it can be done without financial loss to

the grantee.

Section 11. Should natural gas be distributed under the terms of this franchise, the grantee agrees to furnish gas to the offices of said City, located in the City hall at the corner of Broadway and 12th street, free of charge, for lighting and heating purposes, and if said artificial gas be distributed under this franchise, then said artificial gas shall be furnished said city offices for lighting purposes only.

Section 12. A failure on the part of the grantee to comply with the provisions of this ordinance will work a forfeiture of their franchise.

Passed by the City Council, and approved by the Mayor, this 7th day of March, 1910.

(Seal) F. C. SIMS, Acting Mayor.  
Attest: W. B. Jones, City Clerk.

## Why Salves Fail to Cure Eczema.

Scientists are now agreed that the eczema germs are lodged not in the outer skin, or epidermis, but in the inner skin. Hence, a penetrating liquid is required, not an outward salve that clogs the pores.

We recommend dto all eczema patients the standard prescription Oil of Wintergreen as compounded in liquid form known as D. D. D. Prescription. A third bottle of this D. D. D. Prescription, at only 25 cents, will instantly relieve the itch. We have sold and recommended this remedy for years, and know of wonderful cures from its use. We recommend it to our patrons.

# WANTS

Advertising under this head will be charged at following rates:

One insertion, per word.....1c  
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## LOST.

LOST—Gold filled Hunting case watch some where between my home in Donaghey addition and city. Return to me or News office and receive reward. U. G. Winn. 3td

## WANTED.

WANTED—Lady who understands sewing. Call at the Model Millinery. 8-1t

WANTED—15 men at once at the Webster stone crusher eight miles south of Ada. 8-tf

WANTED—A wet nurse at once, trained one preferred. Apply to Dr. Runyan. 3-4tf

## FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Show cases and counters. Gwin & Mays Co. 26-tf

## FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping on 13th and Cherry. Mrs. Mary Underwood. 4t

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping and one single room. Mrs. Banks, 14th and Broadway.

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms on 15th and Townsend. Mrs. R. O. Lawrence.

# Harris Pool Hall

Have made arrangements with F. R. RICE MECHANICAL CO., whereby they have the EXCLUSIVE SALE in Ada of the

## "Universal and Starella Cigars"

their "Two" most popular brands. In order to introduce "STARELLA" we will for a short time sell 1 for 10c, 2 for 15c, and 4 for 25c.

Universal, "Union Made" 5c Straight

We also have "MERCANTILE and AGENT

# Let Electricity Work For You

It will light the home, do the washing and ironing, clean the carpets and rugs, cook the meals.  
What else do you want it to do. Tell us

Ada Electric & Gas Company  
Phone 78

## We Want Your Work

of Horse Shoeing and Rubber Tiring; all kinds of Buggy and Wagon Work and Repairing. We have a Machine Shop in Connection, Lathe, Drill Press, Etc.

## WE KNOW HOW

All we want is a chance to show you.

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Office in Rollow Bldg. Phone 195  
Residence Phone 33.

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DENTISTS.  
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Residence Phone No. 259.  
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General Abstract, Loan and Real Estate business. Fire and Tornado Insurance. Southern Surety Company of Oklahoma. Office in rear of First National bank.

C. A. Galbraith Tom D. McKeown

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LAWYERS.  
Over Citizens National Bank, Ada, Ok.

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DENTIST  
Henley & Biles Bldg.

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Effective August 8, 1909

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Daily No. 1	Daily No. 2	Daily No. 3	STATIONS		Daily No. 2	Daily No. 4
A.M.					P.M.	
	8 30		LEHIGH			5 30
			Booneville			
	8 55		Nixon		5 05	
	9 17		Tupelo		4 44	
	9 37		Stonewall		4 24	
	9 47		Frisco		4 14	
	10 02		Truax		4 00	
	10 25		ADA		3 40	
	10 40		Center		3 20	
	10 55		Vanoes		3 10	
	11 13		Stratford		2 54	
	11 33		BYARS		2 35	
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	12 15		Vincennes		1 55	
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	8 10	1 27	Washington		12 40	5 16
	8 40	1 57	Blanchard		12 10	4 33
	8 58	2 16	Middleberg		11 48	
	9 15	2 33	Tabler		11 30	
	9 27	2 45	Cornville		11 18	
	9 35	2 55	CHICKASHA		11 10	
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Papers you don't want to lose. Papers you don't care to have others see. Our Safety Deposit Vault will protect them from fire, from burglars and from prying eyes. Once placed in your own safe in our vault they will be off your mind.

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Why not we?

Had you ever noticed our line of TOBACCOS and CIGARS? It will pay you—for we are in the business right. We have recently added to our Cigar Department the

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than which few are as good and none better.

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a 5c Cigar. Buy it, try it. We'll make it good.

## Gwin & Mays Co's.

The Ada Druggists

"We Run a Drug Store and Nothing More"

Best Dressed Men in  
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## Schloss Bro. & Co.'s

"CLOTHES BEAUTIFUL"

THEY are buying them just now at greatly reduced prices—buying snappy styles and the most desirable patterns and colors at prices from

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Are you getting your share of these good things? Better be about it this week. The finest "plums" are picked first.

## All Suits and Overcoats Reduced

\$27.75 and \$25 Suits and Overcoats at **\$18.75**  
\$22.50 and \$20 Suits and Overcoats at **\$14.75**  
\$18 and \$17.50 Suits and Overcoats at **\$12.50**  
\$16.50 and \$15 Suits and Overcoats at **\$11.25**  
\$13.50 and \$12.50 Suits and Overcoats **\$9.25**  
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Quality Is Not Measured In Dollars, But In Wear

## Drummond & Lattimore

Outfitters For Men and Young Men

## GOVERNOR DOES NOT APPROVE BILL

ACTING ON OPINION OF ATTORNEY GENERAL HE RETURNS TAYLOR BILL.

### SPECIAL MESSAGE IS READ

Gives Attention to Fee and Salary Bill—House Takes Up the Bill and Lowers Maximum Salaries.

Guthrie, Ok., March 18.—In accordance with the opinion of the Attorney General, Gov. Haskell yesterday returned the Taylor bill amending the initiative and referendum law of the First Legislature without his approval. The act fixed a procedure for submission of constitutional amendments to a vote of the people, and gave the Election Board certain powers with reference to placing the proposition on the ballot to be used by the elector at the polls. The only authorized use of the words for the amendment and to cast a negative vote it was necessary to erase the line. Otherwise whether the ballot was marked at all the vote was counted as an affirmative one under the terms of the Taylor bill.

Gov. Haskell stated that by providing the "ballot title" should be drawn by persons submitting amendments, in place of the Attorney General left the way open for a prejudiced title and if an appeal was taken against it the Attorney General would be required to defend the proposition, although he might believe to be wrong and improper. Instead of permitting the Attorney General to defend the law, the bill made him advocate the governor said, at any plan or scheme to substitute a different law.

### Election Board.

Permitting the Election Board to arrange the ballot, the message believed was giving the board legislative power; also there should be provision for putting a proposed amendment in bold relief type or blank space, indicating to the voter where he might find an opportunity to express himself against an amendment.

Another objection was that the law did not require that public notice should be given when petitions are filed submitting amendments to the constitution thereby allowing no time for protest. Denial of permission to use sample ballots save as the election board sees fit to furnish is also his opinion that the chief executive should have the same official duties to perform in relation to submission of bills or amendments under this act as is required by existing law.

The Taylor bill having originated in the senate, the veto message was only delivered there. Several senators did not hesitate to express themselves as being "sore" at the governor's stand and had the message been brought up for consideration today they stated they would have so expressed themselves. It is indicated tonight that the message will be pending business in the senate tomorrow.

### Substitute Offered.

Senator Taylor late today offered a new bill to replace the one vetoed by the governor and which he stated met the objections given in the message.

Following this, action was called for on the house concurrent resolution setting next Saturday at noon as the hour for final adjournment of the special session. Senator Billups urged the senate to adopt it, while Senator Roddie wanted it referred to the committee. He called attention to pending legislation which the constitution required should be completed a stated number of days before final adjournment and added that the legislature had to pass another election bill to meet the ideas of the attorney general as expressed in the governor's message. The resolution was referred by a vote of 25 to 11.

### Judicial Districts.

The senate finally passed the judicial districting bill, and after reducing the number of judges, voted down several amendments to change the proposed apportionment. Protests were read from the bar associations of Creek and Oklahoma counties against a change in that district or

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We regret that our friends and customers have been inconvenienced by the erection of our new front. However, the contractor is doing his utmost to have it soon completed. When finished this store will be the grandest in Pontotoc county, and a pride to the citizens of Ada and will be known in the future as in the past, a store of quality.

## Come and Have the First Pick of Our Spring Showings

Some pleasing surprise for you in our New Spring Suits, made exclusively for us by Selected by us from their great line. New Fabrics, Colors, Models.

We show something great. Silk lined Suits with deep fronts. These Suits are made exclusively also by the "L" System, and the well known house of Samuel W. Peck, Young Mens' clothiers of New York. All the leading clothing houses in the cities sell their line, "So do we."

Suits from \$18.50 to \$35.00

No Tailoring House can equal the workmanship, style or price.

### New Showing of Spring Hats

Hats for every head and purse

Great line of Stetson, 3.50 to 6.00. Knox derbys and soft, 3.00 Others from \$1.00 up

### In the Shoe Line We Certainly Show the Best

The Hanan all the latest styles, 5.00 to 6.50 The Walkovers, all shapes, 3.50 to 4.00 Brant & Packard, best nat. shoe in U. S. 4.00 W. L. Douglas, all shoes & styles, 3.50 to 4.00

THE HOME OF  
HART-SCHAFFNER AND MARX  
FINE CLOTHING

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Specialist in good clothes for men & boys

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NOW IN HIS NEW QUARTERS CORNER MAIN AND BROADWAY, IN BOLLOW'S FORMER STORE.

## RACE RIOT IN FLORIDA; 5 DEAD

DIFFICULTY BETWEEN CONTRACTOR AND NEGRO STARTS KILLING.

### THREE OF DEAD ARE NEGROES

One Deputy Sheriff Fatally Wounded and Another Seriously Wounded. No More Trouble Expected.

Tampa, Fla., March 8.—With three negroes dead as the result of race riots in the neighborhood of Palmetto, the wrath of the residents seemed to be assuaged. The sum total of deaths is three negroes and two white men, with one white man in the hospital with a bullet hole through his head.

The last of the three negroes implicated in the murder of two white men and the fatal wounding of the third was lynched at dusk this afternoon in the palmetsos on the banks of the Manatee river. He had fallen asleep and when he awoke he was gazing into the barrels of a dozen rifles and shotguns.

Even then he showed defiance and reached for his rifle in a second he was riddled with bullets.

### The Dead.

SAMUEL STRIBBLING, contractor, superintendent, Tampa.

DEPUTY SHERIFF EDWARD MATTHEWS

THEWS

WADE ELIAS, negro

SAM ELIAS, negro

Unknown negro

Probably fatally injured Deputy Sheriff J. B. Morgan.

Seriously injured Deputy Sheriff Max Burnette.

The trouble which has resulted thus far has grown out of a dispute Sunday between Stribbling and a negro named Ruddy over wages. Ruddy shot and killed Stribbling and Sunday night Deputy Sheriff Matthews was killed by either Ruddy or one of the Ellis negroes when the officer at the head of a posse had surrounded a house to which bloodhounds had trailed the murderer of Stribbling.

The country was aroused and hundreds of citizens, heavily armed, have scoured the country for the past twenty-four hours. Tonight several hundred of the men came to Palmetto, the scene of the first killing.

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## HENDRICKS HAS GONE TO TEXAS

SHERIFF WALKER AND DEPUTY McDONALD COME AFTER HIM.

### THINKS WILL APPEAL AGAIN

Doesn't Think He Will Have to Serve Life Sentence—Says Booz Was Responsible for His Capture.

Will Hendricks has gone. Sheriff Walker and Deputy Sheriff McDonald of Paris, Tex., arrived in Ada yesterday afternoon and departed for home on the delayed Frisco train about 8:30 last night. The reward matter was satisfactorily fixed up, the following officers to receive \$140 each for capturing the outlaw Geo. Culver: Walter Goynes, Jim Adair, J. M. McCarty and Hookie Miller. Deputy Goynes accompanied Hendricks and the officers to Paris.

### Holds Cheerful View.

Hendricks holds a cheerful view of the situation and said his opinion was that his case would be appealed. Yesterday he had his wife telephone two well known attorneys to come to this city to talk his matter over but at that time he

did not think he would be called to leave Ada so soon. Booz Cause of His Capture. Before leaving he indulged in quite a bit of talk and told Chief of Police Culver that booz was the cause of his being caught. He seemed to think that if he had have kept so-

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REAL ESTATE NEWS.  
\$375—Two acres in South Side addition.  
\$950—200 feet, 3 room house on corner East 18th street. Dirt cheap \$300—Three lots, worth \$450 on Barringer's Cliff. Terms WEATHER AGENCY.



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## DEMOCRATIC POLI- CAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following are the names of  
candidates for public office subject to  
the action of the Democratic pri-  
maries occurring August 2nd

The Democratic public is assured  
that the names appearing below rep-  
resent Democrats, who are regardless  
of the proper support of the Demo-  
cratic press and respectful toward  
the wishes of the people who desire  
to become well acquainted with the  
name and reputation of the man for  
whom they vote

For County Treasurer,  
J. K. SCHOONEN,  
J. W. WOODCOCK,  
R. H. (WIT) SHAWIN

For County Judge,  
CONWAY C. BARTON.

Justice of the Peace, Ada Precinct  
HENRY J. BROWN

For County Weigher  
JOHN WARR

For Register of Deeds,  
WILBUR B. JONES  
CHOCCKET C. HARGIS

**BEWARE.**  
Many candidates for the office of  
chief executive of Oklahoma are now  
busily engaged in presenting their  
personal views of the issues which  
are confronting the people of this  
great and growing state

Of the men who have kept them-  
selves posted as to affairs political  
we have no fear, but to the toilers of  
the field removed from sources of  
prompt and accurate information and  
who have been hard pressed in their  
attempts to provide sustenance for  
self and family thereby having little  
time to devote to posting themselves  
as to the facts up to the present time,  
we would say "Beware of the lure  
of the forked tongue possessed by the  
adherents to the Oklahoma re-  
publican faith"

You will find the republicans in  
their frenzy berating and accusing the  
democratic party of many nefarious  
acts in connection with the running  
of the state government, however they  
have utterly failed to substantiate any  
of their insinuation of graft before  
an investigation committee composed  
of both democrats and republican  
members of the legislature, an in-  
vestigation demanded by the officials  
who were so grossly slandered, and  
which investigation, according to the  
legislative record of January 24th,  
was voted against by every republic-  
an present

The guns of the republican candi-  
dates are loaded with slander and  
are primed by the corporate inter-  
ests of the north and east. Acting as

## SICK? HURT?

WHY NOT  
PROTECT YOUR INCOME?  
7 CENTS A DAY

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IT PAYS  
A Dime To Somebody Somewhere,  
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MORE THAN \$1,000,000 A YEAR  
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the tools of these moneyed powers  
they are shooting the poison into the  
ears of the unsuspecting and hon-  
est farmer as well as into the ears  
of the busy merchant.

We would like to call attention to  
the pledges made by the leaders of  
the national republican party a few  
months back while pleading for the  
support of the commonwealth  
pledges which were made by the same  
forked tongues and so brazenly broken  
in our faces as soon as the bal-  
lots were counted

We find the leaders of Oklahoma  
republicanism are the appointees of  
this discredited set and that through  
them are handed down the dictates  
of the men in Washington who are  
holding their positions as the gra-  
tuitous gift of some glutted corpora-  
tion or trust

Whom the corporate interests would  
destroy they first seek to discredit  
in the minds of the people that the  
corporations have not been friend-  
ly to the democratic party in this  
state is readily seen upon taking cog-  
nizance of their action in appealing  
to the federal courts for the purpose  
of escaping the laws made since state  
hood for their control and to force  
them to pay their just portion of  
taxation

We find the republican party of  
Oklahoma aiding these corporate in-  
terests in every conceivable way and  
in return are being supplied with the  
necessary funds for carrying on a  
campaign of vilification and slande-  
r in the hopes of discrediting the party  
who has been the regulator of the  
interests and the friend to the man  
of small means

The republican candidates will tell  
you that he will reduce your taxes  
but he does not tell you that if he  
does reduce them you will cease to  
build the school houses and to pro-  
vide other necessary public improve-  
ments He does not tell you how  
you may have these things without  
paying for them and he does not tell  
you that as a result of the broken  
pledges of his party you have to pay  
more for your lumber and nails and  
other things which are used in the  
construction of the school houses and  
bridges The republican party of Ok-  
lahoma believes the corporations  
should regulate the people, the demo-  
cratic party of our beloved state is  
convinced that the people should regu-  
late the corporations It is up to  
you to choose under which banner  
you will be found marching Again we  
repeat Whom the corporate interests  
would destroy they first seek to dis-  
credit Beware of the forked tongue

The Federal government, the Fed-  
eral courts, and the Republican party  
seem to have it especially in for Ok-  
lahoma in the beginning when they  
found they could not control the state  
they sprung a panic on us Money  
could be got by any state in the  
union, except Oklahoma and Texas  
Then there was uncited a reign of  
rabid fear, of state wide aspersions  
and misrepresentation and the state  
authorities were put to all sorts of  
trouble and the people to all sorts of  
expense probing evils existing only  
in the fevered imagination of republi-  
can newspapers and their inciters,  
who thought the democrats were  
working a graft because they knew  
they would if they had a chance The  
man who is now the head of the  
Federal government came all the way  
to Oklahoma City to make fun of our  
constitution. Now the program is to  
join all salutary legislation, help  
the corporation get out of paying  
their taxes let the whole burden fall  
and adding to cost get the people in  
on the public and the corporations  
go free Give them increased rates  
for transportation, by cutting off  
revenue a devil of a fix and then tell  
them it is the democrats did it. Maybe  
so you think these are people in Ok-  
lahoma heap d-m fools—Anadarko  
Democrat

The democratic party in Oklahoma  
seems to be in good fighting trim  
and the fight this fall should be  
warm enough to suit the most en-  
thusiastic fight fan—Beckham Co  
News

If it is costing the people of Oklaho-  
ma \$200 a day in salaries to the re-  
publican members of the house and  
they bite the hand that feeds them  
by attempting to prevent the passage  
of any bill advocated by the people  
and on which they are afraid the  
democrats will gain a little prestige

### FOURTEEN HORSES BURNED.

Early Morning Fire at Sedalia De-  
stroys Business Section Property.

Sedalia, Mo March 8—Between 2  
and 3 o'clock this morning, three-  
fourths of the block bounded by Main  
and Second street and Vermont and  
Monteau avenues was swept by fire,  
destroying property of the estimated  
value of between \$80,000 and \$90,000  
The buildings burned were T K  
Barley's machine and foundry works,  
W J. Menefee's grocery store coal  
yard and feed stables John W Men-  
efee's livery barn and George Men-  
efee's grocery store coal yard and

## Several Incidents In the Life of Platt

Following are several incidents of  
the life of Thomas C. Platt former  
United States senator and for many  
years a national figure in republi-  
can politics

Thomas Collier Platt the "Easy  
Boss" of earlier and brighter days,  
was for many years not only the re-  
publican leader of his state but a  
figure in national politics should-  
er to shoulder with men of such rank  
and reputation as the late Matthew  
Stanley Quay of Pennsylvania

Both were men of exceptional in-  
tellectual attainments and both turned  
them with signal success to  
party organization Quay died still a  
power Platt outlived his time and  
felt himself in late years out of  
touch with the moving spirit of  
events

In "Twenty Years in Congress"  
James G. Blaine described Platt as a  
business man, of great personal popu-  
larity He has an aptitude for public  
affairs, and is a man of strong  
influence in his state He is no de-  
bater, but has strong common sense  
and a quick judgment of men

Yet with all his native judgment  
wide experience and skill as an or-  
ganizer it became the fate of Platt  
to win remembrance more for his as-  
sociations with others than for any-  
thing he did of his own initiative

Twice in his life Platt was the  
center of the national stage—once  
when he resigned with Roscoe Conk-  
ling from the United States senate,  
and was instantly nicknamed "Me-  
Too" Platt, and once when he in-  
duced Theodore Roosevelt to run for  
vice president with McKinley, very  
much against Roosevelt's better judg-  
ment in the face of his repeated de-  
clarations that nothing could induce  
him to accept the nomination

There could not be a better in-  
stance of Platt's skill in persuasion  
and manipulation, or of the irony  
that mocked his ripest wisdom Mc-  
Kinley was elected vice president and  
the days of Platt's de-  
bilitation in the state lapsed into  
semitility His bodily strength de-  
clined rapidly He made a second mar-  
riage which ended in the courts, and  
he was sued by Mae Wood, former-  
ly a clerk in the government em-  
ploy for a divorce on the strength  
of a third marriage never proved to  
have taken place

The episode with Conkling, which  
was not exceeded in public excite-  
ment say the newspaper files of that  
day by any event in the civil war,  
was as follows  
Platt was elected to the senate in  
1881 He and his colleague, Conkling

feed stables; John W Menefee's liv-  
ery barn and George Menefee's horse  
barns, in which fourteen horses were  
burned

The fire department stopped the  
flames from spreading to the habcock  
lumber yards in the same block and  
to the Sedalia Milling Company's  
large flouring mill across the street  
from Menefee's livery barn, which  
was a roaring furnace for an hour

### NECK BROKEN ON STAGE.

Audience of 1,500 See Accident to  
Girl in Cincinnati Theater.

Cincinnati March 8—Fifteen hun-  
dred people were horror-stricken at  
a vaudeville theater here this after-  
noon when at the conclusion of an  
act a performer named Augusta Fas-  
sio, while perched on her brother's  
head, eighteen feet above the stage,  
lost her balance and fell headfore-  
most to the floor, breaking her neck  
She has little chance of recovery

The man was on tables piled twelve  
feet above the stage, and it was the  
finale of the act. For the moment  
the audience thought it a part of the  
act but when the girl's form crum-  
pled in a heap on the floor and a  
smothered cry came from her lips,  
the entire audience rose and for a  
moment a small-sized panic ensued

### 22 KILLED.

Juneau, Alaska, Mar 4—Twenty-  
three miners were killed last night  
by an explosion of a powder maga-  
zine in the 1,000-foot level of the main  
mine, one of the group of Tread-  
well gold properties on Douglas Is-  
land Eight men were seriously in-  
jured, of whom it is said four will  
die

The last shots had been fired by  
the shift of men twenty minutes be-  
fore the explosion took place and the  
men had assembled at the landing of  
the skip and were arranging to en-  
ter it and go on top

The magazine, which contained 275  
tons of powder, was thirty feet away  
from the place where the men were  
standing and every man was killed or  
injured

Most of the miners were foreigners,  
and only three had families on the  
island

became embroiled, with President  
Garfield, in a bitter controversy over  
the appointment of William H. Rob-  
ertson to be collector of the port of  
New York The report was distaste-  
ful to the New York Organization  
and both Platt and Conkling refus-  
ed to confirm it in the senate

Thereupon President Garfield with-  
drew all other New York nominations  
made at their instance, among which  
were those of Stewart L. Woodward,  
to be United States district attorney,  
and Lou F. Payne recently remem-  
bered as an "accelerator of public  
opinion," to be United States marshal

Finding themselves in a hopeless  
deadlock Platt and Conkling both re-  
signed Conkling was caught in the  
great blizzard of 1883, and died of  
exposure Platt was supposed to be  
frozen out of politics Nothing of the  
sort—he turned his attention to  
building influence in the Southern  
tier of New York counties became  
state leader again in 1894 and in  
1897 was elected a second time to  
the United States senate succeeding  
David Bennett Hill

He fell out with Governor Frank  
Bleek and to defeat his renomination  
put forward Theodore Roosevelt a  
type whose undeveloped possibilities  
he did not justly estimate It was  
Roosevelt's rapid progress toward  
popularity and power that later led  
Platt to suggest him for the vice  
presidency, hoping that in the quiet  
of that dignified office he might be  
forgotten

Platt was born in Owego, Tioga  
county, N. Y., on July 15, 1833, of  
Puritan ancestry He entered Yale  
college with the class of 1849 His  
father wished him to study for the  
ministry, but he never advanced far-  
ther in that direction than to sing in  
the church choir

A brief apprenticeship at literature  
was succeeded by more congenial em-  
ployment in business He prospered  
in Michigan in the lumber trade, re-  
turned to Owego and became pres-  
ident of the Tioga National bank, was  
chosen a director and later president  
of the Southern Central Railroad Co.  
and in 1879 was elected general man-  
ager and secretary of the United  
States Express Company, of which  
company he became president in 1880  
so remaining until his death

In physique Platt, as a young man,  
was pleasant in appearance, deli-  
cately built, restless and nervous In  
later years his visage took on grim-  
aces By his first marriage, to Ellen  
Barstow of Owego he had three sons  
—Frank H., Edward T. and Harry B.  
Platt He had been in feeble health  
for some years before his death

### FIRE PANIC IN THEATER.

East St. Louis Play House Destroy-  
ed; Patrons Escape Unharmed.

East St. Louis Ill Mar 8—Near-  
ly a hundred persons many of them  
women and children had narrow es-  
capes in a fire that gutted the city's  
largest playhouse tonight As far as  
known no lives were lost, although  
the building was practically destroyed

The fire broke out about 7.30  
o'clock before the performance had  
begun A cry of "fire" resulted in a  
panic in the audience, but all are  
believed to have escaped

### Bargains in Sunrise.

Two pretty southeast corner lots  
close in in Sunrise for \$350 or \$210  
for corner and \$150 for lot adjoining  
WEAVER AGENCY

Clean tags wanted at News office.

## THE Ada National Bank

From the day of its opening,  
July 23, 1900, down to the pres-  
ent time the business of this  
Bank has gone forward with-  
out interruption

Has accommodated more far-  
mers than any Bank in the  
county

Has assisted more local en-  
terprises than any other Bank  
in the City

If you have unfinished busi-  
ness with this Bank for 1900  
attend to it at once

## Ada National Bank

**YOU GET THE RIGHT KIND**  
At The Right Prices  
When you BUY Your BUILDING MATERIAL from  
**Dascomb-Daniels Lumber Co.**  
Hodge Fence and Box 'd Arc Posts for your Garden  
**I. Wymore, Manager**

### RACE RIOT IN FLO- IDA—FIVE ARE DEAD

(Continued from Page One)

and reported that the two Ellis ne-  
groes brothers and Ruddy had been  
killed and their riddled bodies left  
in the swamps.

Sam Ellis one of two negro broth-  
ers charged with the responsibility  
of the trouble was riddled with bul-  
lets by a posse early today but not  
before he and his brother,  
Wade, had mortally wounded Deputy  
Morgan and seriously wounded De-  
puty Burnette Wade Ellis escaped At  
daybreak Deputy Morgan and Bur-  
nette, who were placed on guard at  
a bridge saw two negroes approach-  
ing and commanded them to halt

For answer the negroes opened fire  
and Deputy Morgan fell mortally  
wounded Sam Ellis seized the fallen  
man's gun and raised it to fire on  
Burnette Burnette was too quick  
and shot the negro through the head  
This shot was not fatal The other  
negro opened fire on Burnette, and  
one of the bullets took off his lower  
lip When the desperado had emptied  
his gun he disappeared in the swamp

Burnette tied the wounded negro  
to a tree and carried his fellow-offi-  
cer to a nearby house A short time  
later the posse arrived, and after  
learning what the negroes had done  
riddled Sam Ellis with bullets After  
shooting the negro to death plans  
were laid for the capture of the other  
negro

He was found at dusk, as stated  
before, and was taken to the hospital  
posse departed, leaving his dead body

The negro, Ruddy, was killed sing-  
le-handed by Henry Wiagame, a mem-  
ber of the sheriff's posse, last night  
in the edge of a swamp near the ne-  
gro's house His body was found this  
afternoon

## HOME TELEPHONE CO. READY FOR BUSINESS

THE FARMERS' INDEPENDENT  
TELEPHONE CO. OF PONTO-  
TOC COUNTY

Has Been Re-organized, Revitalized  
and Is Now Going Con-  
cern.

It has a line in operation between  
Ada and Abbott, and is preparing to  
extend the line to Byrd's Mill, Ford  
City, Allen and other points along  
the Missouri, Oklahoma and Gulf rail-  
way, and to put in rural lines to all  
parts of Pontotoc county, and to  
establish a local exchange at Ada, so  
as to put the neighboring towns and  
the rural communities in direct com-  
munication with the business and  
professional men of the city of Ada

The capital stock of the company  
is six hundred shares of the par val-  
ue of ten dollars each Only a part  
of this stock has been issued and the  
Board of Directors has authoriz-  
ed the sale of two hundred shares  
of the unissued stock for the pur-  
pose of raising funds to carry out  
the extensions planned It can be  
demonstrated that this stock will pay  
satisfactory dividends and promises a  
safe and profitable investment Think  
it over and be ready to talk to the  
solicitor when he calls Help this  
Ada enterprise along Help boost Ada  
Help the farmers who trade at Ada.  
Be a booster.

J. H. KEEN, President,  
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### Notice to Sewer Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received at the  
office of W B Jones, City Clerk Ada  
Oklahoma up to 5 o'clock P M  
March 14th 1910, for the construction  
of a lateral sewer in District No 3  
comprising certain portions of Sun-  
rise, Donaghey, Normal Heights, Cap-  
itol Hill and Dan Hays additions, all  
in the city of Ada, Oklahoma ac-  
cording to plans and specifications  
now on file in the office of the City  
Clerk

Each bid must be accompanied by  
a certified check in the sum of 3  
per cent of the amount bid to be  
forfeited to the City of Ada in case  
the successful bidder fails to enter  
into and give the required bond in  
the required time

Contractors will be required to  
give a bond in the sum of 30 per  
cent of the contract price for the  
faithful performance of said work  
and the holding of the city harmless  
from any and all damages which  
might occur

Council reserves the right to re-  
ject any or all bids  
(SEAL) W B JONES,  
City Clerk

(Published March 2nd to March 12th  
inclusive)

### Stomach As Mules

are "liver and bowels sometimes;  
seem to balk without cause Then  
there's trouble—Loss of Appetite—In-  
digestion, Nervousness, Despondency,  
Headache But such troubles fly be-  
fore Dr. King's New Life Pills, the  
world's best Stomach and Liver rem-  
edy So easy 25c at Ramsey Drug Co

### THE PEOPLE ALL

Dr. Charles' Tablets, Dr. W. B. Nichols  
Herpicide.

This work of late has been in every-  
one's mouth, and many are wondering  
what the word signifies, though no one  
has yet been found, who will deny that  
NEWBRO'S HERPICIDE does the work  
well, for the information of thousands of  
people who like to know all about a good  
thing, we would say that HERPICIDE  
means a destroyer or killer of "Herpes,"  
Now "Herpes" is the family name of a  
disease caused by various vegetable par-  
asites A similar microbe causes dan-  
drel, itching scalp, and falling hair, this  
is the microbe that NEWBRO'S HERP-  
ICIDE promptly destroys after which the  
hair grows Sold by leading druggists  
Send 50c in stamps for sample to The  
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ONE DOLLAR BOTTLES GUARANTEED  
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## Ada Electric Shoe Hospital

We are now open for business  
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While You Wait**

### PRICES

Men's Half Sole and  
Heel ..... \$1.00  
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# Farmers State Bank

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with us will receive our most  
careful attention.

F. O. HARRISS, Cashier.

## CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

The weather—Partly cloudy and cooler Tuesday and Wednesday.

### Smith Sells Furniture.

Stall, the photographer, phone 176.

P. T. Drummond of Shawnee is visiting his son C. R. Drummond.

List your real estate with the Weaver Agency.

"When words fail," send Dolly Varden Chocolates. Ramsey Drug Co.

W. E. Mooney of Stonewall is a business caller in the city today.

The celebrated "Money Back" flour, the best on the market, at Walsh's.

Scott W. Lanam and J. W. Maya, prominent farmers of Center, are in the city today transacting business.

Headquarters for Richard Hadnauts Fine Perfumes and Toilet waters. Ramsey Drug Co.

Miss Sue Howell, of Oklahoma City arrived this morning to attend the missionary meeting being held today at the Baptist church.

Mrs. Garrett and Miss Barberoot of Stonewall, representatives of the Baptist church, are attending the missionary rally here.

Have you used Peroxide Cream? A delightful Cold Cream without grease. RAMSEY DRUG CO.

Miss Austin, of the National Baptist Convention of Chicago, is with the Baptist ladies in their missionary meeting today.

J. F. Jackson has returned from Mulberry, Ark. He was called to the bedside of his mother who is very ill.

If you try one sack of the celebrated "Money Back" flour at Walsh's you will use no other.

Mrs. L. Rosenfield has returned to the city from eastern markets where she purchased up to now dry goods for the Grand Leader.

Fancy eating apples, not Ben Davis, at \$1.25 for a bushel box at Walsh's.

We can safely state that if the membership of the legislature was entirely democratic the session would not have been prolonged more than three weeks.

We have just received a new line of Spring Millinery, Hair Goods, Hair Ornaments, Ladies' New Style Collars, Pins, Ties, Kid and other Gloves, the latest in Needle work, etc. See Baraglin-Courter. WESTCOTT'S

The new abstract company which was recently organized composed of about thirty local men with C. T. Angel secretary and treasurer has bought the books of the Pontotoc County Abstract company and expect to have a charter and be ready for business in a few days. The new company will retain the offices of the Pontotoc company in the rear of the M. & P. bank.

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership. To All Persons Concerned:

Notice is hereby given that the partnership of S. J. Lattimore and C. R. Drummond under the firm name of Drummond & Lattimore, Clothiers, has, by mutual consent of both parties, been this day dissolved. Mr. Lattimore retires from the business, and Mr. Drummond will conduct the same business of clothing and furnishing goods in the Wright building on West Main street in Ada, where he will be glad to see the old customers of the firm.

All the debts of the firm are hereby assumed by C. R. Drummond, and all persons owing the firm of Drummond & Lattimore will please call and pay the same to Mr. Drummond. Dated at Ada, Oklahoma, this 10th day of March, 1910.

C. R. DRUMMOND,  
S. J. LATTIMORE.

L. T. Walters has just received a lot of new sheet music.

The brick work of the Coco Cola building began this morning.

Sheet music both vocal and instrumental at L. T. Walters. New publications.

Mrs. J. Autry and Mrs. Schuler of Konawa, are in the city today the guests of friends.

If you want a piano, sheet music, wall paper or picture frames, you can get them of L. T. Walters.

City Attorney J. E. Webb returned yesterday from Muskogee where he went on matters of business.

On the Water Wagon Again. All parties wishing artesian water and not receiving it, will please phone their wants to Stall's Studio.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Geo. McMillan, 22, Stonewall; Miss Ethel Stendeman, 17, Stonewall.

Ice Cream That Is Pure. The Purely Ice Cream Co. are now doing business and are at your service. Quality and price guaranteed. Phone No. 223. R. L. MCGUIRE.

## DISTRICT COURT.

The jury in the case of Ben Mullins for killing Zelp Blevins last September 18 but.

Will Perry, a negro, is up charged with swiping a calf.

## BAPTIST CHURCH.

Miss Austin, field secretary of the Ladies Department of the Missionary Union, will speak at the Baptist church at 7:30 this evening. The public is respectfully invited to attend.

## MEETING IN SESSION.

The Baptist ladies are in session today at the First church, the occasion being an all day missionary meeting. Several visitors from neighboring towns are with them.

The local Baptists deem it a great privilege to have this opportunity of hearing Miss Austin, secretary of National Convention of Chicago, and Miss Howell, secretary of Oklahoma convention, and tell that the information they bring from the mission fields will be of much benefit to their society and church.

The members prepared a delicious lunch which was served at noon in Mrs. Stubblefield's home.

A large crowd is expected to attend the evening service, when Miss Austin will deliver an address. Not only the ladies, but the men, too are invited.

## NOT REMOVED FROM CITY BUT HERE TO STAY

In announcing the removal of my millinery business to the building adjoining the one occupied last year, some seemed to have gotten the impression that I had left the city. The change was made in order to give me more room to display my large stock of high grade millinery goods, which are now on display, and I invite a critical inspection from the ladies of the city, knowing that my patterns are the latest styles and best quality. I also desire to say that I do fine dressmaking, but do not make it my specialty.

I have a competent trimmer whose work will compare favorably with any trimmer in the state and everything in the millinery line is guaranteed to be satisfactory. Every article in my store is made under my personal supervision. Watch for announcement of the big millinery opening soon, which will convince you that I have not removed from the city or retired from the millinery business.

MRS. M. C. WHITMORE

BARINGER HEIGHTS  
As Pretty as Can Be  
We have a number of lots in this very beautiful south-west addition at attractive prices and terms to suit purchaser. Call at once and investigate this proposition. WEAVER AGENCY

## WRECK ON FRISCO NEAR SASAKWA YESTERDAY

LIFE OF ONE MAN ALMOST TO AN END.

Nine Cars Jump Track and Six Reduced to Kindling Wood—Other Trains Late.

A wreck that came very near killing one or more persons occurred one mile north of Sasakwa on the Frisco yesterday afternoon. Nine cars leaped off the track, three of them being torn to splinters, and merchandise was scattered all over the country.

The accident happened at a big fill near Little River. A man was riding one of the derailed cars and left the track with it. He did not receive a scratch but how he got away with his life is hard to figure.

The south-bound passenger was behind the wreck and did not arrive here until about 9 o'clock being nearly four hours late. The track was quickly fixed up and today trains are running on time.

## 17TH STREET RESIDENT STOPS WORK OF DITCHER

POINTS SHOT GUN AT CREW AND COMMANDS A HALT.

G. P. Carney Says Machine Was Intruding on His Rights—City Engineer Says No.

This afternoon G. P. Carney whose residence is on 17th street temporarily stopped the operation of the steam ditcher by pointing a shot gun at the men in charge of the ditcher and commanding them to halt.

Carney claims the ditcher was cutting his property and that the men in charge of the machine had torn down his fence. This forenoon he told them that if they began work at the same place this afternoon he would stop them.

The ditcher went to work about one o'clock and the men were confronted with Mr. Carney's shotgun. They quit but resumed work in about an hour.

Says Fence Out of Line. City Engineer Ekman stated this afternoon that the fence was 8 or 7 feet out of line and that he had it moved. He gave the boys instructions to proceed with the work which they did.

SOME REAL ESTATE BARGAINS.  
\$1,500—Good four room house and 75 feet on corner in Sunrise addition. Splendid well, good storm cellar and barn. Cheap at \$1,800.

\$275—The most desirable lot in Donaghy. Terms.

\$2,000—Six room house in good repair, barn, fruit trees, etc. Corner 14th and Cherry.

\$800—A pair beauties on corner 16th and Stockton.

\$1,500—A dandy business lot near Main on Broadway.

\$1,250—A four room house on acre with fruit trees and good well.

\$1,150—Four room house on 15th feet on west 12th.

\$800—Eight pretty lots in north Ada. Terms.

\$450—Two room house on west 19th street, on 100x140 feet front. High and pretty. Terms to suit.

\$375—Two good looking lots with shade trees in front near Normal school. Ter. 4.

\$800—Four room house on 15th and Stockton. Good well, barn and 50 feet. One half cash balance easy.

\$200—Lot in Donaghy. \$120 cash balance easy.

\$1,250—Good four room house 50 feet front, concrete sidewalk. In block of postoffice. Terms.

THE WEAVER AGENCY.  
Carlton Weaver, Representative

Vesuvius Is in Eruption.

Naples, March 3.—Vesuvius has suddenly become active again. There has been a continuous eruption for the past twenty-four hours of red hot stones and ashes, this being accompanied by internal detonations. Several fissures have opened, from which gas and lava are emerging in great quantities.

## Saturday Evening Post

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Chisholm Barnett

## WAS COUNCIL'S NIGHT FOR PASSING BILLS

THE USUAL NUMBER GREETED COUNCIL.

Stand Pipe Ordered to Be Put on South Broadway Property at Once.

Nothing exciting took place at the regular meeting of the city council last night; the only thing that might possibly cause something of an exciting nature to turn up being the approving of lots of bills. Those bills for which warrants were instructed to be issued were as follows in the next paragraph:

Bills Allowed.

Collins & Daugherty, \$1.50; P. G. Ekman, \$11.71; C. T. Loman, 75c; B. B. Brinkley, \$12.60; C. M. Howell, \$50.00; S. W. Hill, \$450; W. H. Fisher, \$25; Miller Bros., Oklahoma City, \$7.00; Oklahoma Portland Cement Co., \$8.50; Gwin & Mays, \$48.35; Pioneer Telephone Co., \$3.50; Reed & Johnson, \$2.65; J. B. Gitcher, \$56; J. Maxey, \$24; G. B. West, \$17.80; Evening & Weekly News, \$24.75. Ada \$576.90; Ada Drug Co., \$38.40. Amer-Hardware Co., \$2.80; Ramsey Drug Co., \$3.70; G. W. Chadwick, \$3.00; J. T. Reed, \$5; Ada E. & G. Co., Ican Disinfecting Co., \$98.75.

Alarm on Pipe.

An alarm was ordered put on the stand pipe which is located on Frank Jones' property on South Broadway.

Mayor Little being out of the city, Chairman Sims acted as mayor.

## GRAND LEADER INSTALLS FINE CLOTHING CABINET

BIG DEPARTMENT STORE MAKES MANY IMPROVEMENTS.

Cabinet Cost Several Hundred Dollars and Is One of Finest in South Oklahoma.

The Grand Leader Store is the scene of much hustling now rearranging the store and taking care of the large amount of new goods which is coming in daily.

The management saw that the rapidly increasing patronage of its popular clothing department made it necessary that the capacity be enlarged. This insight was followed by the re-arranging of a few departments and now the north entrance consists entirely of girls' furnishing goods, and is in charge of John Katz and W. L. Morgan. One of the finest clothing cabinets ever installed in this part of the state has just been added to the other up-to-date fixtures. This cabinet cost several hundred dollars and is really a beauty.

Substantial improvements have been made in every department of the big store and as the buyers return from the various markets the latest goods of all sorts are being put on display.

## ONE MILLION DOLLARS FOR A GOOD STOMACH

This Offer Should Be a Warning to Every Man and Woman.

The newspapers and medical journals have had much to say relative to a famous millionaire's offer of a million dollars for a new stomach.

This great multi-millionaire was too busy to worry about the condition of his stomach. He allowed his dyspepsia to run from bad to worse until in the end it became incurable. His misfortune should serve as a warning to others. Every one who suffers with dyspepsia for a few years will give everything he owns for a new stomach.

Dyspepsia is caused by an abnormal state of the gastric juices. There is one element missing—Pepsin. The absence of this destroys the function of the gastric fluids. They lose their power to digest food.

We are now able to supply the pepsin in a form almost identical to that naturally created by the system when in normal health, so that it restores the gastric juices their digestive power and thus makes the stomach strong and well.

We want every one troubled with indigestion and dyspepsia to come to our store and obtain a box of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets. They contain Bismuth-Subnitrate and Pepsin prepared by a process which develops their greatest power to overcome digestive disturbance.

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets are very pleasant to take. They soothe the irritable, weak stomach, strengthen and invigorate the digestive organs, relieve nausea and indigestion, promote nutrition and bring about a feeling of comfort.

If you give Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets a reason able trial we will return your money if you are not satisfied with the result. Three sizes; 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1.00. Remember you can obtain Rexall Remedies in Ada only at our store—The Rexall Store. The Gwin & Mays Co. West Main St.

## Money Talks

The possession of money or property rightly earned and saved, marks the man of ability. GET THE HABIT. Deposit your savings with M. & P. State Bank.

We Solicit Large and Small Accounts

## Merchants and Planters State Bank

Ada Oklahoma

### LOST FORTUNE AT FARO.

Champagne Helped New Yorker to Part With Big Sum in a Night.

New York, March 5.—The big faro game in which Marshall Bell, a retired business man of Newburg, is said to have lost \$110,000 on the night of November 14, 1908, came into public view again when Mr. Bell's affidavit, taken before the trial in a suit brought against him by Joseph Mager of Mount Vernon, was filed. Mr. Mager holds a note for \$10,000 signed by Bell, and Mr. Bell, while admitting the signature of the note, refused to pay it on the ground that it was given for a gambling debt.

In his affidavit Mr. Bell who is 65 years old, says he was taken to a gambling house in this city on the November night in question, by a man named Metcalf. Metcalf, so-

ording to the affidavit, persuaded Mr. Bell to sit in a game of faro. Mr. Bell says that between midnight and 4:30 a. m. he drank a quart of champagne, a bottle of whiskey and some other liquors, and was naturally a little uncertain in his actions. After the game had been running two or three hours, the affidavit says the dealer told Mr. Bell he had lost \$30,000, and asked for a check. Mr. Bell says he refused to sign a check but did sign I. O. U.'s for an amount unknown to him. Later on he was told that he had lost \$30,000 more and signed what he thought were some more I. O. U.'s. He says that he was told by the gamblers that he was not signing promissory notes.

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Chapman The Shoe Man  
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**APPROVES THE BILL**  
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the putting of Creek with Payne, or Okmulgee with Wagoner.  
Memorial also came from Atoka county, asking for four judges to the Muskogee-Bryan county district, in place of three Senator Beeler stated that no one up and down the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway was in favor of the bill as it stands. The amendment of Senator Memminger to put Coal county in the Bryan county district failed by a vote of 15 to 21. By a close vote the amendment of Senator Blair reducing the number of judges in the Oklahoma county district from four to three prevailed. The nominating districts were changed as follows:  
Cleveland, McClain, Garvin and Murray counties Carter and Love and Oklahoma counties in a nominating district by themselves. The bill finally passed by a vote of 23 to 18, the following being the negative votes: Allen, Beeler, Brownlee, Chapman, Cloonan, Colville, Cunningham, Curd, Graham, Hatchett, Keys, Memminger, Sorrels, Udegraff, Warren and Yeager.  
Lobbyists who have been here working against passage of a fee and salary bill received some attention from the governor in a special message sent to the legislature today dealing with that legislation. Members expressed to the governor the opinion that it was doubtful if a bill would go through, which he stated he hoped was unfounded. Possibly having in mind the House bill pending in committee of the whole, the governor told the legislature that a person to qualify himself to be a district judge had to read law for three years and practice for five years and then he was ready to draw a salary of \$3,000 per year. A first-grade college professor only earned, he said, between \$1,500 and \$1,800 whereas the bills pending proposed to pay to a clerk, who was required to have nothing more than a common school education and an ordinary business experience more than either the district judge or the college professor.  
The governor denied the right of county officers to be here lobbying while the people were entitled to their services at home, and denied their right persistently to force their views into the legislation with the hope of influencing it. He reminded the legislature that the proposed law would not affect the present officers and that it was not incumbent upon these officers to be candidates for re-election in event the salary was so low.  
The house straightway took up the bill in committee of the whole and lowered the maximum salaries of the officers as follows: Sheriff, \$2,000; County Treasurer, District Clerk and Register of Deeds, \$3,000; and Clerk of County Court \$1,000. The maximum population figured in the bill is 6,000 for counties. The

maximum salary for County Judge and County Attorney was increased from \$1,200 to \$1,400. The maximum for Judge of the Superior Court is \$3,500 and for the clerk of that court \$3,500. An amendment was adopted which allows sheriffs to collect for expenses in misdemeanor cases, whether there is a conviction or not in the Senate.  
In the senate final passage was obtained upon bills by Mr. Jacobs, making Muldrow a court town, and the bill by Mr. Dixon, making Weleetka a court town, the bill by Messrs. Allen and Smith, limiting the amount railroads may issue in stocks and bonds, the Allen bill, providing that County Superior courts may be established in counties with 25,000 population and having a town of at least 7,000 people, and the bill fixing fees to be charged clerk of the supreme and criminal court of appeals and placing the clerk on a salary of \$2,600 per year.  
The senate adopted a conference report on the corporation tax bill requiring domestic companies to pay to the state 50c per \$1,000 on capital stock, and foreign companies \$1 per \$1,000 on that part of the capital stock used in the business done in Oklahoma. Companies paying other special taxes are exempted from provisions of the law.  
Both houses adopted a conference report on Mr. Anthony's bill fixing the maximum tax levies and creating excise boards in counties. Where the assessed valuation of a county is less than \$4,000,000, the tax for county purposes shall not exceed 6 mills.  
The house killed the bill creating the office of county assessors and displacing Township assessors, the vote being 50 to 38. Mr. Cope gave notice of motion to reconsider tomorrow. Both houses adopted a resolution by Senator Taylor referring mildly to the recent Hook decision and requesting the corporation commission to give to the people what the difference will be in cost in freight and passenger rates under the commission's tariffs and those to be adopted by the railroad companies. The resolution also requests such information pertaining to other Southwestern states and the amount of profit the railroad companies are earning.  
A new house bill today was by Mr. Ross, making Temple a court town in Comanche county.  
**Do You Need Money.**  
Loans made on improved city property or to build with Represent company that has greater facilities for handling city loans than all others combined. Straight loan for long term with privilege to pay after one year. Semi-annual payments. Cheapest rates. See Ada Title & Trust Co. at  
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**WANTS TO BE A JUDGE**  
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ber he would have been out of the country some time ago.  
Wasn't in State Long.  
According to his story he has been in Oklahoma only four months, coming to the state from west Texas. At that time he wore long beard and hair, it having been five months since he had a shave or hair cut. He said he first went to his home and found his mother feeding hogs. Owing to his crop of hair she did not at once recognize him, but his eyes gave him away. Those who know Hendricks have noticed that his eyes are very far apart. He then went to his brother-in-law—Joe Daniels—place and before he recognized him he attempted to rent his place. After this he got a shave and did not care who recognized him.  
Was Afraid of Ada.  
Upon his return here from Holdenville Monday morning Hendricks told the officers not to let the boys lynch him. He was told that there was no more danger of him being lynched than any one else.  
**ORDINANCE NO. 199.**  
An Ordinance granting to the Ada Oil & Gas Company, a corporation, the right to acquire, construct, maintain and operate a system of works in the City of Ada, State of Oklahoma, for the purpose of distributing and selling natural gas and manufactured gas in said city, and to the inhabitants thereof.  
Be It Ordained, by the Mayor and City Councilmen of the City of Ada, Oklahoma:  
Whereas, on the 1st day of November, 1909, at a regular meeting of the mayor and councilmen of the City of Ada, Oklahoma, in the County of Pontotoc and State of Oklahoma, there was duly presented to the mayor and councilmen a petition signed by more than twenty-five per cent of the qualified voters of said city requesting the mayor of the City of Ada to call an election as provided in Section 18, Article 18 of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma.  
Whereas, on the 17th day of November, 1909, the mayor of the City of Ada, Oklahoma, issued his election proclamation calling for an election to be held in said city on the 17th day of December, 1909, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said city the question of the approval or disapproval of the franchise to the Ada Oil and Gas Company, a private corporation, by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ada, Oklahoma, as requested by said petitioners.  
Whereas, in pursuance of said election proclamation, there was held in the City of Ada, Oklahoma, on the 17th day of December, 1909, a special election at which time, and in the manner as prescribed by law, said question was voted upon by the qualified electors of said city, a majority of all ballots cast being for granting said franchise.  
Section 1. The word "City" as hereinafter used shall designate the City of Ada, Pontotoc County, Oklahoma, and the word "Grantee" as hereinafter used shall designate the Ada Oil & Gas Company, a corporation organized under the laws of Oklahoma.  
Section 2. During the term of twenty-five (25) years from and after the passage, approval, publication and ratification as provided by law and upon acceptance as herein provided, of this ordinance the said Grantee is hereby empowered to acquire, construct, maintain and operate a system of works in the said city for the purpose of manufacturing or distributing and selling to said city and inhabitants thereof, artificial and natural gas and for such purpose said Grantee shall have the right to enter upon and lay its mains and pipes through and in the streets, avenues, alleys and public places of said city, provided however, that said Grantee shall in all cases save the city harmless by reason thereof and shall restore all said streets, avenues, alleys and public places to their original condition as speedily as possible at the expense of Grantee.  
Section 3. During the life of this franchise said Grantee shall have the right to charge said city and inhabitants thereof the following rates for natural gas furnished:  
If said natural gas is piped not to exceed five miles from intersection of Broadway and Main streets, in said city, the sum of twenty-seven and one-half (27 1/2) cents per one thousand (1000) cubic feet ten miles, thirty-two and one-half (32 1/2) cents, twenty miles, thirty-seven and one-half (37 1/2) cents, forty miles, forty-two and one-half (42 1/2) cents, and Grantee in every case where the consumer's bill is less than One Dollar and Ten cents (\$1.10) per month may charge a minimum rate of One Dollar and Ten cents (\$1.10) per month for each meter connection.  
Section 4. Should the supply of natural gas available to the Grantee fall during the life of this franchise, thereafter said Grantee shall have the right to furnish to said City and

inhabitants thereof artificial gas and shall have the right to charge therefor not to exceed One Dollar and Forty Cents (\$1.40) per one thousand (1000) cubic feet.  
Section 5. All bills shall be due and payable at the office of said Grantee on or before the tenth day of each month next following that in which the gas is used and if paid on or before said tenth day a discount of two and one-half cents (2 1/2) cents per thousand cubic feet shall be granted on said bills so paid, and upon failure of any consumer to pay any bill on or before the fifteenth day of said month, the Grantee may discontinue the service of such consumer and said Grantee shall not be required to furnish service to any such consumer until said consumer has first paid all indebtedness and in addition thereto a sum not exceeding One Dollar (\$1.00) as a charge for reconnecting said consumer.  
Section 6. No deposit for meter or meters shall be required or exacted, except for the protection of Grantee from financial loss and as security for the payment of bills for service rendered. Grantee may require and the consumer shall, if Grantee demands, deposit with it, for which it shall issue a receipt, a sum or amount of money equal to the estimated service of one and one-half months, upon which Grantee shall pay to such consumer annually interest at 5 per cent per annum. And at the time service is discontinued the deposit less any moneys the consumer may owe to the Grantee at that time shall be immediately returned to the consumer.  
Section 7. The Grantee shall have the right to assign to any other person, firm or corporation, the rights and obligations of this franchise, and any assignee thereof, by accepting said assignment, shall become bound thereby, but in the event of an assignment, said assignment shall be in writing and duly authenticated copy thereof shall be filed with the City Clerk of said City.  
Section 8. Within fifteen days after the passage approval and publication of this ordinance, the said Ada Oil & Gas Company its successors or assigns, shall file with the Clerk of said City, a written acceptance of this Ordinance and upon failure to file such acceptance then this ordinance shall not become operative, or vest any rights or privileges or franchise what-so-ever.  
Section 9. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication as provided by law, and upon its acceptance in writing as herein provided, and it is further provided that unless Gas is supplied under this franchise within three years from the date of the passage thereof, then this ordinance shall become null and void.  
Section 10. The Mayor and City Council, and their successors shall at all times have power to impose all needful and reasonable regulations for the protection of the interests of the inhabitants of said City, and among other things, shall have the power after a full hearing to require extensions of service where it can be done without financial loss to

the grantees.  
Section 11. Should natural gas be distributed under the terms of this franchise, the grantee agrees to furnish gas to the offices of said City, located in the City hall at the corner of Broadway and 12th street, free of charge, for lighting and heating purposes, and if said artificial gas be distributed under this franchise, then said artificial gas shall be furnished said city offices for lighting purposes only.  
Section 12. A failure on the part of the grantee to comply with the provisions of this ordinance will work a forfeiture of their franchise. Passed by the City Council, and approved by the Mayor this 7th day of March, 1910.  
(Seal) F. C. SIMS, Acting Mayor  
Attest W. B. Jones, City Clerk  
**Why Salves Fail to Cure Eczema.**  
Scientists are now agreed that the eczema germs are lodged not in the outer skin, or epidermis, but in the inner skin. Hence a penetrating liquid is required, not an outward salve that clogs the pores.  
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Advertising under this head will be charged at following rates:  
One insertion, per word 1c  
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Effective August 8, 1909  
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TIME TABLE NO. 12

Effective August 3, 1909

West Bound East Bound

Daily No. 1	Daily No. 2	STATIONS	Daily No. 3	Daily No. 4
A.M.			P.M.	
8 30		LEHIGH	6 30	
		Booneville		
8 55		Nixon	5 05	
9 17		Tupelo	4 44	
9 37		Stonewall	4 24	
9 47		Frisco	4 14	
10 02		Truax	4 00	
10 25		ADA	3 40	
10 40		Center	3 20	
10 55		Vancoe	3 10	
11 13		Stratford	2 54	
11 33		BYARS	2 35	
12 00		Rosendale	2 10	
12 15		Vincennes	1 55	
12 40		PURCELL	1 40	P.M.
1 05			1 05	3 10
1 30		Gibbons Spur	12 51	5 16
1 57		Washington	12 40	5 16
		Blanchard	12 10	4 33
3 58	2 16	Middleberg	11 48	
4 55	2 33	Tabler	11 30	
5 27	2 45	Cornville	11 18	
6 55	3 55	CHICKASHA	11 10	
A.M.P.M.			A.M.P.M.	

R. E. HALL, Traffic Manager  
Payroll Attendants



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## GOVERNOR DOES NOT APPROVE BILL

ACTING ON OPINION OF ATTORNEY GENERAL HE RETURNS TAYLOR BILL.

### SPECIAL MESSAGE IS READ

Gives Attention to Fee and Salary Bill—House Takes Up the Bill and Lowers Maximum Salaries.

Guthrie, Ok., March 18.—In accordance with the opinion of the Attorney General, Gov. Haskell yesterday returned the Taylor bill amending the initiative and referendum law of the First Legislature without his approval. The act fixed a procedure for submission of constitutional amendments to a vote of the people, and gave the Election Board certain powers with reference to placing the proposition on the ballot to be used by the elector at the polls. The only authorized use of the words for the amendment and to cast a negative vote it was necessary to erase the line. Otherwise whether the ballot was marked at all the vote was counted as an affirmative one under the terms of the Taylor bill. Gov. Haskell stated that by providing the ballot title should be drawn by persons submitting amendments, in place of the Attorney General left the way open for a prejudiced title and if an appeal was taken against it the Attorney General would be required to defend the proposition, although he might believe to be wrong and improper. Instead of permitting the Attorney General to defend the law, the bill made him an advocate the governor said, or any plan or scheme to substitute a different law.

### Election Board.

Permitting the Election Board to arrange the ballot, the message believed was giving the board legislative power; also there should be provision for putting a proposed amendment in bold relief type or blank space, indicating to the voter where he might find an opportunity to express himself against an amendment.

Another objection was that the law did not require that public notice should be given when petitions are filed submitting amendments to the constitution thereby allowing no time for protest. Denial of permission to use sample ballots save as the election board sees fit to furnish is also his opinion that the chief executive should have the same official duties to perform in relation to submission of bills or amendments under this act as is required by existing law.

The Taylor bill having originated in the senate, the veto message was only delivered there. Several senators did not hesitate to express themselves as being "sore" at the governor's stand and had the message been brought up for consideration today they stated they would have so expressed themselves. It is indicated tonight that the message will be pending business in the senate tomorrow.

Senator Taylor late today offered a new bill to replace the one vetoed by the governor and which he stated met the objections given to the message.

Following this, action was called for on the house concern resolution setting next Saturday at noon as the hour for final adjournment of the special session. Senator Billups urged the senate to adopt it, while Senator Riddle wanted it referred to the committee. He called attention to pending legislation which the constitution required should be completed a stated number of days before final adjournment and added that the legislature had to pass another election bill to meet the ideas of the attorney general as expressed in the governor's message. The resolution was referred by a vote of 25 to 11.

### Judicial Districts.

The senate finally passed the judicial districting bill, and after reducing the number of judges, voted down several amendments to change their proposed apportionment. Protests were read from the bar associations of Creek and Okmulgee counties against a change in that district or

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We regret that our friends and customers have been inconvenienced by the erection of our new front. However, the contractor is doing his utmost to have it soon completed. When finished this store will be the grandest in Pontotoc county, and a pride to the citizens of Ada and will be known in the future as in the past, a store of quality.

## Come and Have the First Pick of Our Spring Showings

Some pleasing surprise for you in our New Spring Suits, made exclusively for us by Selected by us from their great line. New Fabrics, Colors, Models.

We show something great. Silk lined Suits with deep fronts. These Suits are made exclusively also by the "L" System, and the well known house of Samuel W. Peck. Young Mens' clothiers of New York. All the leading clothing houses in the cities sell their line, "So do we."

Suits from \$18.50 to \$35.00

No Tailoring House can equal the workmanship, style or price.

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Hats for every head and purse

Great line of Stetson, 3.50 to 6.00. Knox derbys and soft, 3.00 Others from \$1.00 up

### In the Shoe Line We Certainly Show the Best

The Hanan, all the latest styles, 5.00 to 6.50 The Walkovers, all shapes, 3.50 to 4.00 Brant & Packard, best nat. shoe in U. S. 4.00 W. L. Douglas, all shoes & styles, 3.50 to 4.50

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## RACE RIOT IN FLORIDA; 5 DEAD

DIFFICULTY BETWEEN CONTRACTOR AND NEGRO STARTS KILLING.

### THREE OF DEAD ARE NEGROES

One Deputy Sheriff Fatally Wounded and Another Seriously Wounded. No More Trouble Is Expected.

Tampa, Fla., March 8.—With three negroes dead as the result of race riots in the neighborhood of Palmto, the wrath of the residents seemed to be assuaged. The sum total of deaths is three negroes and two white men, with one white man in the hospital with a bullet hole through his head.

The last of the three negroes implicated in the murder of two white men and the fatal wounding of the third was lynched at dusk this afternoon in the palmtoes on the banks of the Manatee river. He had fallen asleep and when he awoke he was gazing into the barrels of a dozen rifles and shotguns.

Even then he showed defiance and reached for his rifle in a second he was riddled with bullets.

### The Dead.

SAMUEL STRIBBLING, contractor, superintendent, Tampa. DEPUTY SHERIFF EDWARD MATTHEWS.

WADE ELLIS, negro. SAM ELLIS, negro. Unknown negro. Probably fatally injured Deputy Sheriff J. B. Morgan.

Seriously injured Deputy Sheriff Max Barnette.

The trouble which has resulted thus far has grown out of a dispute Sunday between Stribbling and a negro named Ruddy over wages. Ruddy shot and killed Stribbling and Sunday night Deputy Sheriff Matthews was killed by either Ruddy or one of the Ellis negroes when the officer at the head of a posse had surrounded a house to which bloodhounds had trailed the murderer of Stribbling.

The country was aroused and hundreds of citizens, heavily armed, have scoured the country for the past twenty-four hours. Tonight several hundred of the men came to Palmto, the scene of the first killing.

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## HENDRICKS HAS GONE TO TEXAS

SHERIFF WALKER AND DEPUTY McDONALD COME AFTER HIM.

### THINKS WILL APPEAL AGAIN

Doesn't Think He Will Have to Serve Life Sentence—Says Boone Was Responsible for His Capture.

Will Hendricks has gone. Sheriff Walker and Deputy Sheriff McDonald of Paris Tex., arrived in Ada yesterday afternoon and departed for home on the delayed Frisco train about 8:30 last night. The reward matter was satisfactorily fixed up, the following officers to receive \$140 each for capturing the outlaw Geo. Culver. Walter Goynne, Jim Adair, J. M. McCarty and Hookie Miller. Deputy Goynne accompanied Hendricks and the officers to Paris.

### Holds Cheerful View.

Hendricks holds a cheerful view of the situation and said his opinion was that his case would be appealed. Yesterday he had his wife telephone two well known attorneys to come to this city to talk his matter over but at that time he

did not think he would be called to leave Ada so soon. Boone Cause of His Capture. Before leaving he indulged in quite a bit of talk and told Chief of Police Culver that Boone was the cause of his being caught. He seemed to think that if he had have kept so

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## DEMOCRATIC POLI- CAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following are the names of  
candidates for public office subject to  
the action of the Democratic pri-  
maries occurring August 2nd  
The Democratic public is assured  
that the names appearing below rep-  
resent Democrats, who are regardless  
of the proper support of the Demo-  
cratic press and respectful toward  
the wishes of the people who desire  
to become well acquainted with the  
name and reputation of the man for  
whom they vote

For County Treasurer,  
J. K. SOROGUINS,  
J. W. WOODWARD,  
R. H. (CRIT) GIBBON

For County Judge,  
COURTNEY O. BARTON.

Justice of the Peace, Ada Precinct  
HENRY J. BROWN

For County Sheriff  
JOHN WARD

For Register of Deeds,  
WILBUR B. JONES  
CROCKET C. HARGIS

### BEWARE

Many candidates for the office of  
chief executive of Oklahoma are now  
busily engaged in presenting their  
personal views of the issues which  
are confronting the people of this  
great and growing state

Of the men who have kept them-  
selves posted as to affairs political  
we have no fear, but to the "toters"  
of the field removed from sources of  
prompt and accurate information and  
who have been hard pressed in their  
attempts to provide sustenance for  
self and family thereby, having little  
time to devote to posting themselves  
as to the facts up to the present time,  
we would say "Beware of the lure  
of the forked tongue possessed by  
the adherents to the Oklahoma rep-  
ublican faith"

You will find the republicans in  
their frenzy berating and accusing the  
democratic party of many nefarious  
acts in connection with the running  
of the state government, however they  
have utterly failed to substantiate any  
of their insinuation of graft before  
an investigation committee composed  
of both democrats and republican  
members of the legislature, an in-  
vestigation demanded by the officials  
who were so grossly slandered, and  
which investigation, according to the  
legislative record of January 24th,  
was voted against by every republi-  
can present

The goss of the republican candi-  
dates are loaded with slander and  
are primed by the corporate inter-  
ests of the north and east. Acting as

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the tools of these moneyed powers  
they are shooting the poison into the  
ears of the unsuspecting and honest  
farmer as well as into the ears  
of the busy merchant.

We would like to call attention to  
the pledges made by the leaders of  
the national republican party a few  
months back while pleading for the  
support of the commonwealth  
pledges which were made by the same  
forked tongues and so brazenly broken  
in our faces as soon as the bal-  
lots were counted

We find the leaders of Oklahoma  
republicanism are the appointees of  
this discredited set and that through  
them are handed down the dictates  
of the men in Washington who are  
holding their positions as the gra-  
tuitous gift of some glutted corporation  
or trust

Whom the corporate interests would  
destroy they first seek to discredit  
in the minds of the people that the  
corporations have not been friendly  
to the democratic party in this  
state is readily seen upon taking cog-  
nizance of their action in appealing  
to the federal courts for the purpose  
of escaping the laws made since state  
hood for their control and to force  
them to pay their just portion of  
taxation

We find the republican party of  
Oklahoma aiding these corporate in-  
terests in every conceivable way and  
in return are being supplied with the  
necessary funds for carrying on a  
campaign of vilification and slande-  
r in the hopes of discrediting the party  
who has been the regulator of the  
interests and the friend to the man  
of small means

The republican candidates will tell  
you that he will reduce your taxes  
but he does not tell you that if he  
does reduce them you will cease to  
build the school houses and to pro-  
vide other necessary public improve-  
ments. He does not tell you how  
you may have these things without  
paying for them and he does not tell  
you that as a result of the broken  
pledges of his party you have to pay  
more for your lumber and nails and  
other things which are used in the  
construction of the school houses and  
bridges. The republican party of Ok-  
lahoma believes the corporations  
should regulate the people, the demo-  
cratic party of our beloved state is  
convinced that the people should regu-  
late the corporations. It is up to  
you to choose under which banner  
you will be found marching. Again we  
repeat. Whom the corporate interests  
would destroy they first seek to dis-  
credit. Beware of the forked tongue

The Federal government, the Fed-  
eral courts, and the Republican party  
seem to have it specially in for Ok-  
lahoma. In the beginning when they  
found they could not control the state  
they sprung a panic on us. Money  
could be got by any state in the  
union, except Oklahoma and Texas.  
Then there was united a reign of  
terror, of state-wide aspersion  
and misrepresentation, and the state  
authorities were put to all sorts of  
troubles and the people to all sorts of  
expense probing evils existing only  
in the fevered imagination of republi-  
can newspapers and their inciters,  
who thought the democrats were  
working a giant because they knew  
they would if they had a chance. The  
man who is now the head of the  
Federal government came all the way  
to Oklahoma City to make fun of our  
constitution. Now the program is: En-  
join all salutary legislation, help  
the corporation, get out of paying  
their taxes let the whole burden fall  
and adding to cost get the people in  
on the public and the corporations  
go free. Give them increased rates  
for transportation, by cutting off  
revenue a devil of a fix and then tell  
them its the democrats did it. Maybe  
so you think these are people in Ok-  
lahoma heap d-m fools—Anadarko  
Democrat

The democratic party in Oklahoma  
seems to be in good fighting trim  
and the fight this fall should be  
warm enough to suit the most en-  
thusiastic fight fan—Beckham Co  
News

It is costing the people of Oklaho-  
ma \$200 a day in salaries to the rep-  
ublican members of the house and  
they bite the hand that feeds them  
by attempting to prevent the passage  
of any bill advocated by the people  
and on which they are afraid the  
democrats will gain a little prestige

### FOURTEEN HORSES BURNED.

Early Morning Fire at Sedalia De-  
stroys Business Section Property.

Sedalia, Mo. March 8.—Between 2  
and 3 o'clock this morning, three-  
fourths of the block bounded by Main  
and Second street and Vermont and  
Monteau avenues was swept by fire,  
destroying property of the estimated  
value, of between \$80,000 and \$90,000.  
The buildings burned were T. K.  
Barley's machine and foundry works,  
W. J. Menefee's grocery store coal  
yard and feed stables. John W. Men-  
efee's livery barn and George Men-  
efee's grocery store, coal yard and

## Several Incidents In the Life of Platt

Following are several incidents of  
the life of Thomas C. Platt former  
United States senator and for many  
years a national figure in republi-  
can politics

Thomas Collier Platt the "Easy  
Boss" of earlier and brighter days,  
was for many years not only the re-  
publican leader of his state but a  
figure in national politics should-  
er to shoulder with men of such rank  
and reputation as the late Matthew  
Stanley Quay of Pennsylvania

Both were men of exceptional in-  
tellectual attainments and both turned  
them with signal success to  
party organization. Quay died still a  
power. Platt outlived his time and  
felt himself in late years out of  
touch with the moving spirit of  
events

In "Twenty Years in Congress"  
James G. Blaine described Platt as a  
business man, of great personal popu-  
larity. He has an aptitude for pub-  
lic affairs, and is a man of strong  
influence in his state. He is no de-  
bater, but has strong common sense  
and a quick judgment of men

Yet with all his native judgment  
wide experience and skill as an or-  
ganizer it became the fate of Platt  
to win remembrance more for his as-  
sociations with others than for any-  
thing he did of his own initiative

Twice in his life Platt was the  
center of the national stage—once  
when he resigned with Roscoe Con-  
kling from the United States senate,  
and was instantly nicknamed "Me  
Too" Platt, and once when he in-  
duced Theodore Roosevelt to run for  
vice president with McKinley, very  
much again Roosevelt's better judg-  
ment in the face of his repeated de-  
clarations that nothing could induce  
him to accept the nomination

There could not be a better in-  
stance of Platt's skill, in persuasion  
and manipulation, or of the irony  
that mocked his ripest wisdom. Mc-  
Kinley was elected vice president and  
the days of Platt's de-  
signation in the state lapsed into  
senility. His bodily strength declin-  
ed rapidly. He made a second mar-  
riage which ended in the courts, and  
he was sued by Mae Wood, former-  
ly a clerk in the government em-  
ploy for a divorce on the strength  
of a third marriage never proved to  
have taken place

The episode with Conkling, which  
was not excepted in public excite-  
ment say the newspaper files of that  
day by any event in the civil war,  
was as follows:

Platt was elected to the senate in  
1881. He and his colleague, Conkling

feed stables. John W. Menefee's liv-  
ery barn and George Menefee's horse  
barns, in which fourteen horses were  
burned

The fire department stopped the  
flames from spreading to the barbecue  
lumber yards in the same block and  
to the Sedalia Milling Company's  
large flouring mill across the street  
from Menefee's livery barn, which  
was a roaring furnace for an hour

### NECK BROKEN ON STAGE.

Audience of 1,500 See Accident to  
Girl in Cincinnati Theater.

Cincinnati March 8.—Fifteen hun-  
dred people were horror-stricken at  
a vaudeville theater here this after-  
noon when at the conclusion of an  
act a performer named Augusta Fas-  
sio, while perched on her brother's  
head, eighteen feet above the stage,  
lost her balance and fell headfore-  
most to the floor, breaking her neck.  
She has little chance of recovery

The man was on tables piled twelve  
feet above the stage, and it was the  
thrust of the act. For the moment  
the audience thought it a part of the  
act but when the girl's form crum-  
pled in a heap on the floor and a  
smothered cry came from her lips,  
the entire audience rose and for a  
moment a small-sized panic ensued

### 23 KILLED.

Juneau, Alaska, Mar. 4.—Twenty-  
three miners were killed last night  
by an explosion of a powder maga-  
zine in the 1,000-foot level of the main  
mine, one of the group of Tread-  
well gold properties on Douglas Is-  
land. Eight men were seriously in-  
jured, of whom it is said four will  
die

The last shots had been fired by  
the shift of men twenty minutes be-  
fore the explosion took place and the  
men had assembled at the landing of  
the skip and were arranging to en-  
ter it and go on top

The magazine, which contained 275  
tons of powder, was thirty feet away  
from the place where the men were  
standing and every man was killed or  
injured

Most of the miners were foreigners,  
and only three had families on the  
island

became embroiled with President  
Garfield in a bitter controversy over  
the appointment of William H. Rob-  
ertson to be collector of the port of  
New York. The report was distaste-  
ful to the New York Organization  
and both Platt and Conkling refus-  
ed to confirm it in the senate

Thereupon President Garfield with-  
drew all other New York nominations  
made at their instance, among which  
were those of Stewart L. Woodward,  
to be United States district attorney,  
and Lou F. Payne recently remem-  
bered as an "accelerator of public  
opinion," to be United States marshal

Finding themselves in a hopeless  
deadlock Platt and Conkling both re-  
signed. Conkling was caught in the  
great blizzard of 1888, and died of  
exposure. Platt was supposed to be  
frozen out of politics. Nothing of the  
sort—he turned his attention to  
building influence in the Southern  
tier of New York counties became  
state leader again in 1894 and in  
1897 was elected a second time to  
the United States senate succeeding  
David Bennett Hill

He fell out with Governor Frank  
Black and to defeat his renomination  
put forward Theodore Roosevelt a  
type whose undeveloped possibilities  
he did not justly estimate. It was  
Roosevelt's rapid progress toward  
popularity and power that later led  
Platt to suggest him for the vice  
presidency, hoping that in the quiet  
of that dignified office he might be  
forgotten

Platt was born in Owego, Tioga  
county, N. Y., on July 15, 1833, of  
Puritan ancestry. He entered Yale  
college with the class of 1849. His  
father wished him to study for the  
ministry, but he never advanced far-  
ther in that direction than to sing in  
the church choir

A brief apprenticeship at literature  
was succeeded by more congenial em-  
ployment in business. He prospered  
in Michigan in the lumber trade, re-  
turned to Owego and became pres-  
ident of the Tioga National bank, was  
chosen a director and later president  
of the Southern Central Railroad Co.  
and in 1879 was elected general man-  
ager and secretary of the United  
States Express Company, of which  
company he became president in 1880  
so remaining until his death

In physique Platt, as a young man,  
was pleasant in appearance, deli-  
cately built, restless and nervous. In  
later years his visage took on grim-  
ness. By his first marriage, to Ellen  
Barstow of Owego he had three sons—  
Frank H., Edward T. and Harry B.  
Platt. He had been in feeble health  
for some years before his death

### FIRE PANIC IN THEATER.

East St. Louis Play House Destroy-  
ed; Patrons Escape Unharmed.

East St. Louis Ill. Mar. 8.—Near-  
ly a hundred persons many of them  
women and children had narrow es-  
capes in a fire that gutted the city's  
largest playhouse tonight. As far as  
known no lives were lost, although  
the building was practically destroyed

The fire broke out about 7:30  
o'clock before the performance had  
begun. A cry of "fire" resulted in a  
panic in the audience, but all are  
believed to have escaped

### Bargains in Sunrise.

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## RACE RIOT IN FLOR- IDA—FIVE ARE DEAD

(Continued from Page One)

and reported that the two Ellis ne-  
groes brothers and Ruddy had been  
killed and their mangled bodies left  
in the swamps

Sam Ellis one of two negro broth-  
ers charged with the responsibility  
of the trouble was riddled with bul-  
lets by a posse early today, but not  
before he and his brother,  
Wade, had mortally wounded Deputy  
Morgan and seriously wounded De-  
puty Burnette. Wade Ellis escaped at  
daybreak Deputy Morgan and Bur-  
nette, who were placed on guard at  
a bridge saw two negroes approach-  
ing and commanded them to halt.  
For answer the negroes opened fire  
and Deputy Morgan fell mortally  
wounded. Sam Ellis seized the fallen  
man's gun and raised it to fire on  
Burnette. Burnette was too quick  
and shot the negro through the head.  
This shot was not fatal. The other  
negro opened fire on Burnette, and  
one of the bullets took off his lower  
lip. When the desperado had emptied  
his gun he disappeared in the swamp.

Burnette tied the wounded negro  
to a tree and carried his fellow-offi-  
cer to a nearby house. A short time  
later the posse arrived, and after  
learning what the negroes had done  
riddled Sam Ellis with bullets. After  
shooting the negro to death plans  
were laid for the capture of the other  
negro

He was found at dusk, as stated  
before, and was taken to the hospital.  
The negro, Ruddy, was killed sing-  
le-handed by Henry Wisnig, a mem-  
ber of the sheriff's posse, last night  
in the edge of a swamp near the ne-  
gro's house. His body was found this  
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itol Hill and Dan Hays additions, all  
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Each bid must be accompanied by a  
certified check in the sum of 3  
per cent of the amount bid to be  
forfeited to the City of Ada in case  
the successful bidder fails to enter  
into and give the required bond in  
the required time

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give a bond in the sum of 30 per  
cent of the contract price for the  
faithful performance of said work  
and the holding of the city harmless  
from any and all damages which  
might occur

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(SEAL) W. B. JONES,  
City Clerk  
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## Stomach As Mules

are "liver add bowels sometimes;  
seem to balk without cause. Then  
there's trouble—Loss of Appetite—In-  
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### CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

The weather—Partly cloudy and cooler Tuesday and Wednesday.

#### Smith Sells Furniture.

Stall, the photographer, phone 176.

P. T. Drummond of Shawnee is visiting his son C. R. Drummond.

List your real estate with the Weaver Agency.

"When words fail," send Dolly Varden Chocolates. Ramsey Drug Co.

W. E. Mooney of Stonewall is a business caller in the city today.

The celebrated "Money Back" flour, the best on the market, at Walsh's.

Scott W. Lanam and J. W. Mays, prominent farmers of Center, are in the city today transacting business.

Headquarters for Richard Hadnute Fine Perfumes and Toilet waters. Ramsey Drug Co.

Miss Sue Howell, of Oklahoma City arrived this morning to attend the missionary meeting being held today at the Baptist church.

Mrs. Garrett and Miss Barberoot of Stonewall, representatives of the Baptist church, are attending the missionary rally here.

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Miss Austin, of the National Baptist Convention of Chicago, is with the Baptist ladies in their missionary meeting today.

J. F. Jackson, has returned from Mulberry, Ark. He was called to the bedside of his mother who is very ill.

If you try one sack of the celebrated "Money Back" flour at Walsh's you will use no other.

Mrs. L. Rosenfield has returned to the city from eastern markets where she purchased up to now dry goods for the Grand Leader.

Fancy eating apples, not Ben Davis, at \$1.25 for a bushel, box at Walsh's.

We can safely state that if the membership of the legislature was entirely democratic the session would not have been prolonged more than three weeks.

We have just received a new line of Spring Millinery, Hair Goods, Hair Ornaments, Ladies' New Style Collar Pins, Ties, Kid and other Gloves, the latest in Needle work, etc. See Baraga Counter. WESTCOTT'S

The new abstract company which was recently organized composed of about thirty local men with C. T. Angel secretary and treasurer has bought the books of the Pontotoc County Abstract company and expect to have a charter and be ready for business in a few days. The new company will retain the offices of the Pontotoc company in the rear of the M. & P. bank.

#### Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

To All Persons Concerned: Notice is hereby given that the partnership of S. J. Lattimore and C. R. Drummond under the firm name of Drummond & Lattimore, Clothiers, has, by mutual consent of both parties, been this day dissolved. Mr. Lattimore retires from the business, and Mr. Drummond will conduct the same business of clothing and furnishing goods in the Wright building on West Main street in Ada, where he will be glad to see the old customers of the firm.

All the debts of the firm are hereby assumed by C. R. Drummond, and all persons owing the firm of Drummond & Lattimore will please call and pay the same to Mr. Drummond. Dated at Ada, Oklahoma, this 20th day of March, 1910.

C. R. DRUMMOND,  
S. J. LATTIMORE.

L. T. Walters has just received a lot of new sheet music.

The brick work of the Coco Cola building began this morning.

Sheet music both vocal and instrumental at L. T. Walters. New publications.

Mrs. J. Autry and Mrs. Schuler of Konawa, are in the city today the guests of friends.

If you want a piano, sheet music, wall paper or picture frames, you can get them of L. T. Walters.

City Attorney J. E. Webb returned yesterday from Muskogee where he went on matters of business.

#### On the Water Wagon Again.

All parties wishing artesian water and not receiving it, will please phone their wants to Stall's Studio.

#### MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Geo. McMillan, 22, Stonewall; Miss Ethel Stendeman, 17, Stonewall.

#### Ice Cream That Is Pure.

The Purety Ice Cream Co. are now doing business and are at your service. Quality and price guaranteed. Phone No. 223. R. L. MCGUIRE, tf

#### DISTRICT COURT.

The jury in the case of Ben Mullins for killing Zelp Blevins last September is out.

Will Perry, a negro, is up charged with swiping a calf.

#### BAPTIST CHURCH.

Miss Austin, field secretary of the Ladies Department of the Missionary Union, will speak at the Baptist church at 7:30 this evening. The public is respectfully invited to attend.

#### MEETING IN SESSION.

The Baptist ladies are in session today at the First church, the occasion being an all day missionary meeting. Several visitors from neighboring towns are with them.

The local Baptists deem it a great privilege to have this opportunity of hearing Miss Austin, secretary of National Convention of Chicago, and Miss Howell, secretary of Oklahoma convention, and feel that the information they bring from the mission fields will be of much benefit to their society and church.

The members prepared a delicious lunch which was served at noon in Mrs. Stubblefield's home.

A large crowd is expected to attend the evening service, when Miss Austin will deliver an address. Not only the ladies, but the men, too are invited.

#### NOT REMOVED FROM CITY BUT HERE TO STAY

In announcing the removal of my millinery business to the building adjoining the one occupied last year, some seemed to have gotten the impression that I had left the city. The change was made in order to give me more room to display my large stock of high grade millinery goods, which are now on display, and I invite a critical inspection from the ladies of the city, knowing that my patterns are the latest styles and best quality. I also desire to say that I do fine dressmaking, but do not make it my specialty.

I have a competent trimmer whose work will compare favorably with any trimmer in the state and everything in the millinery line is guaranteed to be satisfactory. Every article in my store is made under my personal supervision. Watch for announcement of the big millinery opening soon, which will convince you that I have not removed from the city or retired from the millinery business.

MRS. M. C. WHITMORE.

BARBERING HEIGHTS  
As Pretty as Can Be  
We have a number of lots in this very beautiful south-west addition at attractive prices and terms to suit purchaser. Call at once and investigate this proposition.  
WEAVER AGENCY

## WRECK ON F51000 NEAR SASAKWA YESTERDAY

### LIFE OF ONE MAN ALMOST TO AN END.

Nine Cars Jump Track and Six Reduced to Kindling Wood—Other Trains Late.

A wreck that came very near killing one or more persons occurred one mile north of Sasakwa on the Frisco yesterday afternoon. Nine cars leaped off the track, three of them being torn to splinters, and merchandise was scattered all over the country.

The accident happened at a big fill near Little River. A man was riding one of the derailed cars and left the track with it. He did not receive a scratch but how he got away with his life is hard to figure.

The south-bound passenger was behind the wreck and did not arrive here until about 9 o'clock being nearly four hours late. The track was quickly fixed up and today trains are running on time.

## 17TH STREET RESIDENT STOPS WORK OF DITCHER

POINTS SHOT GUN AT CREW AND COMMANDS A HALT.

G. P. Carney Says Machine Was Intruding on His Rights—City Engineer Says No.

This afternoon G. P. Carney whose residence is on 17th street temporarily stopped the operation of the steam ditcher by pointing a shot gun at the men in charge of the ditcher and commanding them to halt.

Carney claims the ditcher was cutting his property and that the men in charge of the machine had torn down his fence. This forenoon he told them that if they began work at the same place this afternoon he would stop them.

The ditcher went to work about one o'clock and the men were confronted with Mr. Carney's shotgun. They quit but resumed work in about an hour.

Says Fence Out of Line.  
City Engineer Ekman stated this afternoon that the fence was 6 or 7 feet out of line and that he had it moved. He gave the boys instructions to proceed with the work which they did.

SOME REAL ESTATE BARGAINS.  
\$1,500—Good four room house and 75 feet on corner in Sunrise addition. Splendid well, good storm cellar and barn. Cheap at \$1,300.

\$275—The most desirable lot in Donaghey. Terms.

\$2,000—Six room house in good repair, barn, fruit trees, etc. Corner 14th and Cherry.

\$800—A pair beauties on corner 16th and Stockton.

\$1,500—A dandy business lot near Main on Broadway.

\$1,250—A four room house on acre with fruit trees and good well.

\$1,150—Four room house on 150 feet on west 12th.

\$800—Eight pretty lots in north Ada. Terms.

\$450—Two room house on west 19th street, on 100x140 feet front. High and pretty. Terms to suit.

\$375—Two good looking lots with shade trees in front near Normal school. Ter. A.

\$300—Four room house on 15th and Stockton. Good well, barn and 50 feet. One half cash balance easy.

\$200—Lot in Donaghey. \$120 cash balance easy.

\$1,250—Good four room house 50 feet front, concrete sidewalk in back of potatoes. Terms.

THE WEAVER AGENCY.  
Carlton Weaver, Representative.

#### Vesuvius Is In Eruption.

Naples, March 3.—Vesuvius has suddenly become active again. There has been a continuous eruption for the past twenty-four hours of red-hot stones and ashes, this being accompanied by internal detonations. Several fissures have opened, from which gas and lava are emerging in great quantities.

### Saturday Evening Post

Chisholm Barnett is exclusive agent for the Saturday Evening Post, the greatest magazine in America. Only 5 the copy delivered. Call me at News office or home phone No. 48.

Chisholm Barnett

## WAS COUNCIL'S NIGHT FOR PASSING BILLS

### THE USUAL NUMBER GREETED COUNCIL.

Stand Pipe Ordered to Be Put on South Broadway Property at Once.

Nothing exciting took place at the regular meeting of the city council last night, the only thing that might possibly cause something of an exciting nature to turn up being the approving of lots of bills. Those bills for which warrants were instructed to be issued were as follows in the next paragraph:

#### Bills Allowed:

Collins & Daugherty, \$1.50; P. G. Ekman, \$11.71; C. T. Loman, 75c; B. B. Brinkley, \$12.60; C. M. Howell, \$50.00; S. W. Hill, \$50; W. H. Fletcher, \$25; Miller Bros., Oklahoma City, \$7.00; Oklahoma Portland Cement Co., \$9.50; Gwin & Mays, \$48.35; Pioneer Telephone Co., \$3.50; Reed & Johnson, \$2.65; J. B. Gitcher, \$58; J. Maxey, \$24; G. B. West, \$17.80; Evening & Weekly News, \$24.75. Ada \$576.90; Ada Drug Co., \$38.40. American Hardware Co., \$2.80; Ramsey Drug Co., \$3.70; G. W. Chadwick, \$3.00; J. T. Reed, \$5; Ada E. & G. Co., Ican Disinfecting Co., \$98.75.

#### Alarm on Pipe.

An alarm was ordered put on the stand pipe which is located on Frank Jones' property on South Broadway.

Mayor Little being out of the city, Chairman Sims acted as mayor.

## GRAND LEADER INSTALLS FINE CLOTHING CABINET

BIG DEPARTMENT STORE MAKES MANY IMPROVEMENTS.

Cabinet Cost Several Hundred Dollars and Is One of Finest in South Oklahoma.

The Grand Leader Store is the scene of much hustling now rearranging the store and taking care of the large amount of new goods which is coming in daily.

The management saw that the rapidly increasing patronage of its popular clothing department made it necessary that the capacity be enlarged. This insight was followed by the re-arranging of a few departments and now the north entrance consists entirely of girls' furnishings, goods, and is in charge of John Katz and W. L. Morgan. One of the finest clothing cabinets ever installed in this part of the state has just been added to the other up to date fixtures. This cabinet cost several hundred dollars and is really a beauty.

Substantial improvements have been made in every department of the big store and as the buyers return from the various markets the latest goods of all sorts are being put on display.

## ONE MILLION DOLLARS FOR A GOOD STOMACH

This Offer Should Be a Warning to Every Man and Woman.

The newspapers and medical journals have had much to say relative to a famous millionaire's offer of a million dollars for a new stomach.

This great multi-millionaire was too busy to worry about the condition of his stomach. He allowed his dyspepsia to run from bad to worse until in the end it became incurable. His misfortune should serve as a warning to others. Every one who suffers with dyspepsia for a few years will give everything he owns for a new stomach.

Dyspepsia is caused by an abnormal state of the gastric juices. There is one element missing—Pepsin. The absence of this destroys the function of the gastric fluids. They lose their power to digest food.

We are now able to supply the pepsin in a form almost identical to that naturally created by the system when in normal health, so that it restores to the gastric juices their digestive power and thus makes the stomach strong and well.

We want every one troubled with indigestion and dyspepsia to come to our store and obtain a box of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets. They contain Bismuth-Subnitrate and Pepsin prepared by a process which develops their greatest power to overcome digestive disturbance.

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets are very pleasant to take. They soothe the irritable, weak stomach, strengthen and invigorate the digestive organs, relieve nausea and indigestion, promote nutrition and bring about a feeling of comfort.

If you give Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets a reason able trial we will return your money if you are not satisfied with the result. Three sizes, 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1.00. Remember you can obtain Rexall Remedies in Ada only at our store—The Rexall Store. The Gwin & Mays Co., West Main St.

## Money Talks

The possession of money or property rightly earned and saved, marks the man of ability. GET THE HABIT. Deposit your savings with M. & P. State Bank.

We Solicit Large and Small Accounts

## Merchants and Planters State Bank

Ada - Oklahoma

### LOST FORTUNE AT FARO.

Champagne Helped New Yorker to Part With Big Sum in a Night.

New York, March 5.—The big faro game in which Marshall Bell, a retired business man of Newburg, is said to have lost \$110,000 on the night of November 14, 1908, came into public view again when Mr. Bell's affidavit, taken before the trial in a suit brought against him by Joseph Mager of Mount Vernon, was filed. Mr. Mager holds a note for \$10,000 signed by Bell, and Mr. Bell, while admitting the signature of the note, refused to pay it on the ground that it was given for a gambling debt.

In his affidavit Mr. Bell who is 65 years old, says he was taken to a gambling house in this city on the November night in question, by a man named Metcalf, Metcalf, according to the affidavit, persuaded Mr. Bell to sit in a game of faro. Mr. Bell says that between midnight and 4:30 a. m. he drank a quart of champagne, a bottle of whiskey and some other liquors, and was naturally a little uncertain in his actions.

After the game had been running two or three hours, the affidavit says the dealer told Mr. Bell he had lost \$30,000, and asked for a check. Mr. Bell says he refused to sign a check but did sign I. O. U.'s for an amount unknown to him. Later on he was told that he had lost \$30,000 more and signed what he thought were some more I. O. U.'s. He says that he was told by the gamblers that he was not signing promissory notes.

Insurance against tornadoes is in order as the cyclone season approaches. Weaver Agency.

## The Progressive Skirt



WE are showing the Correct Styles and Colors in this popular brand of

Ladies Walking Skirts

and you will find them to your taste at Guest Bros. Call and let us make good our assertion.

Yours very truly,

Guest Bros.

## Hot and Cold Stuff

Manufacturers of Ice  
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Coal  
Long Distance Phone 29

## Ada Ice and Fuel Co.

We sell the best Fancy Lump Coal, and to insure clean coal to our customers, we load our wagons with forks. We have our own wagons which insure prompt service. OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT. CALL US UP.

## The SHOE

Proclaims  
The Well Dressed Woman

There is not a woman anywhere, no matter how handsome her Frock or Hat may be, that is well dressed unless her shoes are pretty and neat.

We are able to relieve you of this—if you are in such a place—have most of our earlier Spring Styles now. Anything in Slippers or Pump, Patent Leather in Button or Lace. The best for the price. "Yesterday's styles are not here—everything up-to-date."

Chapman The Shoe Man  
E. Main Ada, Okla.



**APPROVE THE BILL**  
(Continued from Page One.)  
the putting of Creek with Payne, or Okmulgee with Wagoner.  
Memorial also came from Atoka county, asking for four judges to the Muskogee-Bryan county district, in place of three Senator Beeler stated that no one up and down the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway was in favor of the bill as it stands. The amendment of Senator Memminger to put Coal county in the Bryan county district failed by a vote of 15 to 21. By a close vote the amendment of Senator Blair reducing the number of judges in the Oklahoma county district from four to three prevailed. The nominating districts were changed as follows:  
Cleveland, McClain, Garvin and Murray counties Carter and Love and Oklahoma counties in a nominating district by themselves. The bill finally passed by a vote of 23 to 16, the following being the negative votes: Allen, Beeler, Brownlee, Chapman, Cloonan, Colville, Cunningham, Curd, Graham, Hatchett, Keys, Memminger, Sorrells, Udegraff, Warren and Yeager.  
Lobbyists who have been here working against passage of a fee and salary bill received some attention from the governor in a special message sent to the legislature today dealing with that legislation. Members expressed to the governor the opinion that it was doubtful if a bill would go through, which he stated he hoped was unfounded. Possibly having in mind the House bill pending in committee of the whole, the governor told the legislature that a person to qualify himself to be a district judge had to read law for three years and practice for five years and then he was ready to draw a salary of \$3,000 per year. A first-grade college professor only earned, he said, between \$1,500 and \$1,800 whereas the bills pending proposed to pay to a clerk, who was required to have nothing more than a common school education and an ordinary business experience more than either the district judge or the college professor.  
The governor denied the right of county officers to be here lobbying while the people were entitled to their services at home, and denied their right persistently to force their views into the legislation with the hope of influencing it. He reminded the legislature that the proposed law would not affect the present officers and that it was not incumbent upon these officers to be candidates for re-election in event the salary was so low.  
The house straightway took up the bill in committee of the whole and lowered the maximum salaries of the officers as follows: Sheriff, \$2,000; County Treasurer, District Clerk and Register of Deeds, \$3,000; and Clerk of County Court \$2,000. The maximum population figured the bill is 6,000 for counties. The

maximum salary for County Judge and County Attorney was increased from \$1,200 to \$1,400. The maximum for Judge of the Superior Court is \$3,000 and for the clerk of that court \$3,500. An amendment was adopted which allows sheriffs to collect for expenses in misdemeanor cases, whether there is a conviction or not in the Senate.  
In the senate final passage was obtained upon bills by Mr. Jacobs, making Muldrow a court town, and the bill by Mr. Dixon, making Weleetka a court town, the bill by Messrs. Allen and Smith, limiting the amount railroads may issue in stocks and bonds, the Allen bill, providing that County Superior courts may be established in counties with 25,000 population and having a town of at least 7,000 people, and the bill fixing fees to be charged clerk of the supreme and criminal court of appeals and placing the clerk on a salary of \$2,600 per year.  
The senate adopted a conference report on the corporation tax bill requiring domestic companies to pay to the state 50c per \$1,000 on capital stock, and foreign companies \$1 per \$1,000 on that part of the capital stock used in the business done in Oklahoma. Companies paying other special taxes are exempted from provisions of the law.  
Both houses adopted a conference report on Mr. Anthony's bill fixing the maximum tax levies and creating excise boards in counties. Where the assessed valuation of a county is less than \$4,000,000, the tax for county purposes shall not exceed 6 mills.  
The house killed the bill creating the office of county assessors and displacing Township assessors, the vote being 50 to 33. Mr. Cope gave notice of motion to reconsider tomorrow. Both houses adopted a resolution by Senator Taylor referring childly to the recent Hook decision and requesting the corporation commission to give to the people what the difference will be in cost in freight and passenger rates under the commissions tariffs and those to be adopted by the railroad companies. The resolution also requests such information pertaining to other Southwestern states and the amount of profit the railroad companies are earning.  
A new house bill today was by Mr. Ross, making Temple a court town in Comanche county.

**Do You Need Money?**  
Loans made on improved city property or to build with Represent company that has greater facilities for handling city loans than all others combined. Straight loan for long term with privilege to pay after one year. Semi-annual payments. Cheapest rates. See Ada Title & Trust Co.  
Clean rags wanted at News office

**ORDINANCE NO. 100.**  
An Ordinance granting to the Ada Oil & Gas Company, a corporation, the right to acquire, construct, maintain and operate a system of works in the City of Ada, State of Oklahoma, for the purpose of distributing and selling natural gas and manufactured gas in said city, and to the inhabitants thereof.  
Be It Ordained, by the Mayor and City Councilmen of the City of Ada, Oklahoma:  
Whereas, on the 1st day of November, 1909, at a regular meeting of the mayor and councilmen of the City of Ada, Oklahoma, in the County of Pontotoc and State of Oklahoma, there was duly presented to the mayor and councilmen a petition signed by more than twenty-five per cent of the qualified voters of said city requesting the mayor of the City of Ada to call an election as provided in Section 10, Article 18 of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma.  
Whereas, on the 17th day of November, 1909, the mayor of the City of Ada, Oklahoma, issued his election proclamation calling for an election to be held in said city on the 17th day of December, 1909, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said city the question of the approval or disapproval of the franchise to the Ada Oil and Gas Company, a private corporation, by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ada, Oklahoma, as requested by said petitioners.  
Whereas, in pursuance of said election proclamation, there was held in the City of Ada, Oklahoma, on the 17th day of December, 1909, a special election at which time, and in the manner as prescribed by law, said question was voted upon by the qualified electors of said city, a majority of all ballots cast being for granting said franchise.  
Section 1. The word "City" as hereinafter used shall designate the City of Ada Pontotoc County Oklahoma, and the word "Grantee" as hereinafter used shall designate the Ada Oil & Gas Company, a corporation organized under the laws of Oklahoma.  
Section 2. During the term of twenty-five (25) years from and after the passage, approval, publication and ratification as provided by law and upon acceptance as herein provided, of this ordinance the said Grantee is hereby empowered to acquire, construct, maintain and operate a system of works in the said city for the purpose of manufacturing or distributing and selling, to said city and inhabitants thereof, artificial and natural gas and for such purpose said Grantee shall have the right to enter upon and lay its mains and pipes through and in the streets, avenues, alleys and public places of said city, provided however, that said Grantee shall in all cases save the city harmless by reason thereof and shall restore all said streets, avenues, alleys and public places to their original condition as speedily as possible at the expense of Grantee.  
Section 3. During the life of this franchise said Grantee shall have the right to charge said city and inhabitants thereof the following rates for natural gas furnished:  
If said natural gas is piped not to exceed five miles from intersection of Broadway and Main streets, in said city, the sum of twenty-seven and one-half (27 1/2) cents per one thousand (1000) cubic feet ten miles, thirty-two and one-half (32 1/2) cents, twenty miles, thirty-seven and one-half (37 1/2) cents, forty miles, forty-two and one-half (42 1/2) cents, and Grantee in every case where the consumer's bill is less than One Dollar and Ten cents (\$1.10) per month may charge a minimum rate of One Dollar and Ten Cents (\$1.10) per month for each meter connection.  
Section 4. Should the supply of natural gas available to the Grantee fall during the life of this franchise, thereafter said Grantee shall have the right to furnish to said City and

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A.M. P.M. A.M. P.M.  
8 30 LEHIGH 6 30  
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Nixon 4 44  
8 55 9 17 Tupelo 4 24  
9 37 Stonewall 4 14  
9 47 Frisco 4 00  
10 02 Trux 3 40  
10 25 ADA 3 20  
10 40 Center 3 10  
10 55 Vanoe 2 54  
11 13 Stratford 2 45  
11 33 BYARS 2 35  
12 00 Rosevale 2 10  
12 15 Vincennes 1 55  
A.M. 12 40 PURCELL 1 40 P.M.  
7 50 1 06 Gibbons Spur 1 05  
8 00 1 17 Washington 12 55  
8 10 1 27 Blanchard 12 45  
8 40 1 57 Middleberg 12 10  
8 55 2 16 Middleberg 11 48  
9 15 2 33 Tabler 11 30  
9 27 2 45 Cornville 11 18  
9 35 2 55 CHICKASHA 11 10  
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